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We believe it to be for the interest of the farmers to insure by themselves, their property being less hazardous than any other, consequently you will have no losses only your own of the same class, and all will be on an equal footing.

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We have been doing business a little over three years, and we have not been obliged to assess our premium notes, and for the last fourteen months we have not had a single dollar loss, though doing a large and prosperous business, which we believe to be without a parallel in the history of insurance.

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THE OIL MILL of the Subscribers is now in operation. They are prepared to furnish Oil, and ready to buy any quantity of Seed offered to them. Farmers can be supplied with seed for planting the coming spring.

Purchasers can rely with confidence on getting a PURE ARTICLE OF LINED OIL, as we use nothing but Good Seed, and no adulteration is allowed.

WM. SHORES.

HANOVER, Feb. 15th, 1854.

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Aug. 11, 1854.

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THE subscriber in introducing this valuable temperance beverage, would respectfully call the attention of the public to the fact, that it is prepared from green Wormwood, an herb that grows luxuriantly in the New England States, the medicinal qualities of which, for the regulation of the stomach and blood, cannot be equalled by anything ever used. It is a sure cure and preventive of Fever, Ague, Dyspepsia, Diarrhea, and all diseases arising from impurities in the blood or inaction of the stomach. Try it. Sold wholesale and retail by

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Aug. 11, 1854.

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The electors of Rock county who are determined to support no man for office who is not positively and fully committed to the support of the principles announced in the "Republican Platform" adopted at Madison on the 19th of July last, and whose personal character, political associations and private conduct, do not afford a guarantee that he is reliable, are invited to meet in their respective townships or wards at the place of holding the last township or ward election, on Tuesday, 10th day of October next, at 2 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of effecting a thorough organization of the Republican party in their townships or wards, and of appointing delegates to a county convention hereby called at the Court House in Janesville, on THURSDAY, the 13th day of October next, at 9 o'clock P. M., to nominate a county ticket.

The towns and wards will be entitled to representation in the county convention as follows:—to wit:

Town or Ward	Representatives
Avon	8
Bellevue	10
Bradford	10
Center	8
Clinton	8
Fulton	8
Harmony	8
Lima	8
Johnstown	8
La Prairie	8
Janesville, town	8
Turtle	8

L. P. HARVEY, J. H. BRIDG, JOHN HOWE, S. G. COLLEY, G. H. WILLISTON, A. HARRISON, PETER SCHMIDT, J. DAWSON, E. VINCENT, County Committee.

17th SENATORIAL DISTRICT CONVENTION.

At the same time and place above designated in the respective towns and wards for meetings, to choose delegates to the county convention, the Republican electors of the wards of the city of Janesville, and of the towns in this county comprised in the 17th senatorial district, are requested to select an equal number of delegates to which they are entitled under the above appointment in the county convention, to represent them in a senatorial convention hereby called at the Court House in Janesville, on THURSDAY the 12th day of October next at 11 o'clock A. M., to nominate a candidate for senator.

By order of the County Committee.

Congressional Convention—Second District.

The electors of the second congressional district of Wisconsin, comprising the counties of Rock, Adams, Dane, Iowa, Lafayette, Grant, Richland, Sauk, Green, Portage, Marathon, Crawford, Bad, La Crosse, Monroe, Polk, Pierce, Trempealeau, Elk, Chippewa, Clark, Dunn, Buffalo, St. Croix, Douglas and La Pointe, who are opposed to the Nebraska iniquity, and in favor of the principles announced in the "Republican Platform," adopted at Madison July 18th, are invited to meet in their respective assembly districts and select two delegates from each to represent them in a congressional convention to be held at Mineral Point on Wednesday, the 18th of September, at 12 o'clock M., to nominate a candidate to be supported at the approaching election. By order of the state central committee, WM. A. WHITE, Chairman.

Madison, August 14.

For telegraphic news see third page.

NEW PAPER AT WATERTOWN.—D. M. Ballou, late associate editor of the Green Bay Advocate is about starting a new paper at Watertown.—A third paper at that point may pay, but we doubt it.—Free Democrat.

We, too. There are two good papers already published at that place, sufficient to represent every element, political, social, local; and there is not the least possible excuse for dividing up the support, small enough as we dare affirm, upon a third. Let the citizens of Watertown and of Jefferson county, give to the papers already established there all the patronage they have to bestow, and discourage any further competition, and they will find the advantage of so doing in the constant improvements this course will enable the present publishers to make in their paper.

VERMONT ELECTION.—The anti-Nebraska majority for state officers, the Vermont State Banner thinks, cannot fall below ten thousand. In fifty-nine towns heard from, forty-one whig representatives are chosen, eleven free soil, six democrats, and one, no choice. The legislature will be anti-Nebraska by at least three to one, securing two United States senators. It is another in the succession of severe rebukes the administration has suffered and is bound to suffer for fathering the Nebraska iniquity, as well as for other sins of omission and commission.

POTATOES.—We hear that speculators are in from abroad buying potatoes for the purpose of shipping. Prices are ruling high at the east, and a deficiency in the supply is feared. Our farmers had better be cautious about selling until they ascertain the market price and who is buying.

HORROR ARGUS.—This is the title of a new paper, the first number of which is before us, published at Horicon, by Wm. E. Croft; W. H. Butterfield, editor. It is well printed, and does "not hesitate to support the national and state administrations so far as they are true to democratic principles." We suppose it to be its own judge as to this, and will not be very likely to discover a departure from these principles, even though it should be apparent enough to others.

If the editor of the Woodstock Republican Free Press has been a "whig of the strictest sect," he has taken a queer way of manifesting his former political affinities since he assumed the control of that press; and our neighbor across the river purchases his lively gratification by having simply blundered upon a fact, not only without evidence, but in spite of every appearance of evidence.

MASSACHUSETTS REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.—The Republicans in Massachusetts met in convention at Worcester on the 7th. Henry Wilson was nominated for governor, by a vote of 316 out of 480, and Increase Sumner for lieutenant governor, by nearly a unanimous vote. The resolutions passed are nearly the same as our Madison platform.

Democratic Congressional Convention.

The democratic convention for the nomination of a candidate for congress for this district, met at the court house in this place on the 6th instant. The convention was well attended, there being over forty delegates present; and a right good looking crowd they were.

The convention was permanently organized by the election of Major John H. Rountree, of Grant, as president, Ephraim F. Ogden, of La Fayette, and Abram Brawley, of Portage, for vice presidents, and C. H. McLaughlin, of Sauk, and John B. Sweet, of Dane, as secretaries.

A resolution was offered for the appointment of a committee to draft resolutions expressive of the sense of the convention—the vote on which resulted as follows: For the committee 8. Against the committee 22.

The convention then proceeded to an informal ballot for a candidate for congress, with the following result: David Noggle, 2; John Mitchell, 12; Ben C. Eastman, 14; Henry M. Billings, 4; Otis Hoyt, 5; Joseph Hardy, 1; J. B. Sweet, 1; Chas. Dunn, 1; D. S. Vittum, 1; Blank, 2.

The convention then proceeded to ballot formally for a candidate for congress. We give the balloting as follows:

	1st.	2nd.	3d.	4th.
Noggle	7	7	5	—
Mitchell	11	11	11	—
Eastman	14	12	13	13
Billings	1	—	—	—
Hoyt	5	7	5	8
Hardy	3	4	7	2
Vittum	3	—	—	5
N. Dewy	—	1	—	—
C. Woodman	—	—	1	—
D. W. Kyle	—	—	1	1
T. Rodolf	—	—	1	—
B. L. Sharpstein	—	—	—	2
M. H. Carpenter	—	—	—	1
Blank	—	—	—	1

A motion was made to adjourn after the third formal ballot, which was lost 13 to 18. After the fourth ballot the convention adjourned until 7 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.—The convention was called to order at 7 o'clock. An attempt was again made for a committee on resolutions, which was promptly voted down, but renewed several times during the evening, until it was finally clinched by a motion to reconsider, which of course was lost. After several ballottings, in which Mr. Hardy, who was said to be a whig, received a number of votes, the question was raised who Mr. Hardy is, and how he stands on the Nebraska question, which was answered by a delegate from La Fayette, that he (Mr. Hardy) was a citizen of Shullsburg, a democrat to the core, and a true blue Nebraska man. At this time a discussion arose which threatened at one time to disturb the harmony of the convention. It was claimed by a portion of the convention that they had no business to ask how a man stood on the Nebraska question, [cries, yes we have, yes we have,] but it was enough to know that he was a democrat. One gentleman thought it best to nominate Eastman for two years more, and then elect the other aspirants for the same length of time, and he had found by a mathematical calculation that all might be served in the course of one hundred and sixty years! This brought up Ben's right bower, who said Mr. Eastman had faithfully represented this district as a democrat. [Cries, no he hasn't, no he hasn't.] He then inquired if there was a gentleman present who would say that Eastman had not done his duty in congress. [Cries, yes, yes, yes.] The excitement was here checked by a call for another ballot for a candidate.

BALLOTING IN THE EVENING.

Mitchell 13, Hoyt 17. The 23d, Eastman  
 Mitchell 12, Hoyt 18, Kyle 1. Mr. Rose, of  
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Five more ballottings were had, with similar results, when the convention adjourned till nine o'clock to-morrow morning.

THURSDAY MORNING, 9 o'clock.

The convention assembled pursuant to adjournment. The 22d ballot stood, Eastman 13, Mitchell 13, Hoyt 17. The 23d, Eastman 13, Mitchell 12, Hoyt 18, Kyle 1. Mr. Rose, of La Fayette, here introduced a series of strong Nebraska resolutions, (which we were unable to obtain,) which he sustained in a speech, calling on the democracy to show their colors, and not try to dodge this question.

The resolutions were laid on the table by a vote of 23 to 21. Mr. Mitchell's name was here withdrawn, after which a 24th ballot was taken, with the following result: Eastman 12, Hoyt 19, Strong 5, Carpenter 1, Blank 4.

The resolutions were then taken from the table, discussed, and finally adopted by a vote of 25 to 19; Messrs. Billings, Boyden and Zollinger, of this county, voting for, and Mr. Lean against them. The Green county delegation here withdrew from the convention.

Mr. Eastman appeared and stated that he considered the resolutions just adopted, as censuring his course in congress, and withdrew his name as a candidate from the convention. His course was well received by his friends, and we have no doubt their number will be increased by this act.

Mr. Woodie of Rock, introduced a resolution repudiating the administration of Frank Pierce, in the strongest terms, which he prefaced with some cutting remarks on the course of the president in abandoning the Baltimore platform and the principles of his inaugural address, and wound up by saying that the conduct of Frank Pierce had been such as would disgrace a chairman of a board of supervisors; much more a president of the United States. This resolution was voted down, 27 to 13. A resolution to adjourn without day was here offered and lost, 16 for to 25 against.

The 25th ballot was now taken and resulted for Hoyt 20, McKee 8, Billings 4, Noggle, Carpenter and Jordan, each 1. The 26th ballot was then ordered and resulted as follows: Hoyt 25, Billings 8, scattering 7; and Mr. Hoyt was declared the candidate of the convention.

A PIC-NIC PARTY SURROUNDED BY FIRE IN THE WOODS.—Last week, on Friday, a gay and thoughtless party of males and females, some thirty in number, provided themselves with pails and baskets of all capacities, cigars, gingerpop and luncheon, and jumping into a railroad car, rode to a station on the Albany and Boston railroad, that is in the immediate vicinity of one of the tallest of the Berkshire range of mountains. The bill was said to be covered with countless bushels of blackberries, all "dead ripe," and all of the high bush variety, which are the largest and the sweetest.

They left the station in high spirits, and in a few minutes were buried in a wilderness of that fine and beautiful fruit that they went out to seek.

An hour of perspiring picking resulted in filling every vessel they had carried with them, and as they gathered at the spot appointed for luncheon—a secluded nook in a place covered with verdure, watered by a little brook of pure cold water and surrounded on all sides but one by beetling cliffs—they found themselves fatigued, woefully lacerated by "prickers" and thorns, their dresses torn badly and hands and faces deeply dyed with blackberry juice, but with keen appetites, and pails and baskets all heaped up and running over with fine ripe fruit.

Down they sat and devoured their ample lunch, lighted their cigars, drank their pop, and indulged two or three hours in songs, tales, dances and other pastimes.

It was not known to them when they first started for the mountain that a portion of it was on fire, but of the conflagration they thought nothing, being entirely absorbed in their picking and amusements. But the smoke grew dense, the air became hot and stifling, the winds were up, and the fall of an immense burning cinder into their very midst roused the thoughtless party to a realizing idea of what was in progress above and around them. Looking up, judge of their consternation when they saw themselves almost begirt by a tremendous conflagration, which had spread with nearly the speed of the wind that fanned the flames and urged forward the destruction. Their only way of escape was through the narrow gorge down which the little brook plunged, and the flames were rapidly approaching both sides of even that chance for exit!

Not a moment was to be lost! All rushed instinctively for the narrow opening before them, leaving behind them the berries they had picked. But they found the little brook could run where they could not, and that the precipices, underbrush, no path, and the stifling smoke which blew hot in their faces and blinded their eyes, rendered their progress slow. And it was slow. The ladies had to be helped at every step almost. Overhead and nearly all around was a world of fire. Before them was just a narrow way of escape yet, and that might at any moment be crossed and they surrounded by a belt of fire!

Eagerly they pressed forward, the stoniest leading the way, and all encouraging each other as well as they could.

The air grew thicker and darker. The heat was dreadful. Sparks and cinders fell like rain around them. Their clothing was repeatedly on fire. The roar and crackle of the flames was almost deafening, and occasionally the fall of a burning tree crashed upon their ears and added to their terrors.

At last, when some were growing too weak to go further, two had fainted and had to be carried, and their condition was momentarily becoming more and more desperate and hopeless, suddenly the wind chopped round and blew a fierce blast up the narrow ravine the party were traveling! All were instantly invigorated, relieved of the smoke in front, and heartily encouraged.

With a shout they pressed forward again, and in about fifteen minutes succeeded in gaining a point beyond immediate danger, and in an hour were on their way home in the railway car.

Their escape was a narrow one indeed. Not half an hour had elapsed after their escape ere the trees and brush of the ravine were in a blaze, and their trying place was lost in a deluge of fire.

One of the rescued party told us the story of his adventure with the rest, and fairly shuddered when he came to what he termed the "tightest spot," where there was "a smart chance for a barbecue of Beckett."—Albany Express.

We are glad to find that the telegraph was in error in stating that Senator Douglas was not permitted to speak at Chicago. We cannot approvingly see the right of free speech denied to any man, and least of all denied by the friends of free labor.

It turns out, however, that Douglas did speak. What success he had in convincing his fellow-citizens may be read elsewhere. Having first surrounded himself with a rowdy crew of personal backers, yclept the "Douglas body guard," he invited the citizens of Chicago to come and hear his vindication of his course, and pronounce their opinion of it. They did so. They came eight thousand strong. If they had not, he and the "body guard" would have published all over the union that a public meeting had been held in Chicago, in which his official acts were sustained and endorsed triumphantly and unanimously.

He spoke for half an hour or more. When he asked their attention, they bade him "go on," and listened quietly. When he questioned them, they answered him, and he got rather the worst of it. He appealed to know if there was any man in that crowd who was in favor of the Missouri compromise? "Yes," they shouted, "Douglas was once!" He said sixty-one members of the legislature voted to instruct him to go for the bill and only four voted against it. Whereupon, they gave nine cheers for the four. When he asserted that he represented their views, they responded with groans and hisses. At last losing his temper, he informed them he should stay there and talk as long as he pleased. They made no objection, but struck up the appropriate chorus,

"We won't go home till morning, Till day-light do appear."

And then with a sudden change of purpose he left, and they adjourned. There was no violence, nor any threat of it. We would have preferred, for our own part, to have seen Mr. Douglas left to address his remarks to a "beggarly array of empty benches." That would have expressed the popular contempt, without giving a pretext for the charge that he was not allowed a fair hearing. But the people of the city feared their real sentiments might be misrepresented to the country at large, and that they were determined not to permit.—Albany Journal.

WISCONSIN POLITICS.—Our political friends in Wisconsin appear to be managing their affairs at this time most admirably. They are in no flutter of excitement, but are diligently gathering their strength, and when they move on to the accomplishment of their great purpose, the republican phalanx will be as one mass and one man, and the prestige of victory will not fail.—The Freeman of Wisconsin has a most noble impulse to urge them on, and we are glad to note in all quarters the indications of their sincerity, in their prompt action in obedience to its dictates.—Galena Advertiser.

THE "SOFTS" AT SYRACUSE.—The "softs," or administration wing of the sham democracy of New York, held their state convention at Syracuse on Wednesday and Thursday last. They had an interesting time of it; but there, as at Mineral Point, the federal office-holders proved too much for the masses of the party. The first day was occupied in the usual preliminaries of organization, the appointment of committees, etc.; the convention resolving, 246 to 75, to make any nominations, until they had constructed a platform to put them on. On the morning of the second day, the committee on resolutions submitted two reports, majority and minority; Nebraska being the rock on which they split. The majority resolution speaks of the repeal of the Missouri compromise as "inexpedient and unnecessary," but deprecates any "agitation" with a view to restore that line, and indirectly approves of the Nebraska bill. The minority resolution, reported by Mr. Abijah Mann, reads thus:

Resolved, As the sense of this convention, representing the democracy of this state, that we unqualifiedly disapprove of the repeal by the present congress, of the 8th section of the act commonly known as the Missouri compromise, whereby slavery is permitted to be extended over unorganized territories indefinitely, as a violation of legislative good faith, the national honor, the spirit of the age, and the Christian civilization and liberty of which we boast.

Now came the tug of war. The Pierce men, headed by John Cochrane, Capt. Rynders and other federal office holders, sustained the majority report, while the minority resolution was warmly and eloquently defended by Preston King, Abijah Mann, W. Secor, and others. The previous question having been moved and carried by 215 votes against 188, the majority report was adopted and "Pierce and Nebraska" endorsed by yeas 245, nays 149. Hereupon, Preston King, Mr. Rose, of St. Lawrence, Mr. Secor, of Orange, and other Barnburners retired in disgust from the convention.

Nominations being now in order, Horatio Seymour, the present governor, was nominated for re-election, with W. H. Ludlow, of Suffolk, as lieutenant, Jason Clarke, of Jefferson, for canal commissioner, and Wm. R. Andrews, of Livingston, for states prison inspector. Gov. Seymour had previously and positively declined being a candidate, but, on motion of the illustrious Rynders, the convention determined to retain his name on the "soft" ticket, "with or without his consent." Perhaps Gov. Seymour, like Judge Bronson, will yield a reluctant consent to the entreaties of his friends and stand a canvass. The whigs nominate their men next week and will doubtless make a strong ticket. The temperance and "know-nothing" elements will enter largely into the canvass this fall, and render a calculation of the chances somewhat difficult. But there is at least no reason to doubt that the voice and verdict of New York will be emphatic, if not unanimous against the authors and abettors of the Nebraska swindle and the men and measures of the sham democracy.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

A VERY SINGULAR AND HORRIBLE STATE OF FACTS.—A citizen of Franklin, Ohio, writes to us that he noticed in our paper of the 23d inst., a paragraph headed "cholera and suicide," which is incorrect; and he gives the particulars of the conduct of one Ward, who lives three miles from Franklin. Our correspondent says: "A relative of his, named David Ward, who made his home with Thomas Ward, was taken with the cholera and died, having two negroes to take care of him during his illness—there being none of the neighbors who would go to the house. After his death, two men from Franklin went to Ward's, dressed the corpse and put it in a coffin. One of the negroes who had waited on David Ward lived on Thomas Ward's farm, and had a wife and three children. He was taken ill with the cholera, but was in a fair way of recovering when his wife and one child died. At this he got out of bed and ran off.—He was found dead a few days after, lying in Clear creek, with one of his arms broken. An undertaker had the bodies of his wife and child decently buried. The other negro man who had waited on David Ward, and the two remaining children, were at that time at Thomas Ward's.

The man was taken with the cholera, when Tom Ward sent him out into the woods to die. One of the negro children being also taken with the cholera, Ward led it out into the woods and laid it beside the sick man, where it died in a few hours. Ward dug a hole at some distance, threw a long rope to the sick negro and ordered him to tie it round the corpse of the child, which being done, he dragged the body to the hole, pulling at the end of the rope, and then made the sick negro drag himself to the edge of the hole and push it until he covered the child. Some of the citizens of Franklin went and bro't the man and the remaining child to town, where they have been attended to, and are now getting well."

We quite agree with our correspondent, that such unparalleled proceedings as he narrates are a disgrace to the country, and that the names of the cowardly Tom Ward, and his namesake Matt, should be forever associated. If Tom Ward had been a southerner, and treated a slave as he did his poor negro tenant, and the facts had reached the public, his infamous cowardice would have been sounded throughout the earth.—Cin. Com.

DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSIONAL NOMINATIONS IN INDIANA:—

- 1st district—Smith Miller,\*
- 2d "William H. English,\*
- 3d "C. L. Dunham,\*
- 4th "William S. Horman,\*
- 5th "Joseph H. Buckles,\*
- 6th "Thomas A. Hendricks,\*
- 7th "John G. Davis,\*
- 8th "James Davis,\*
- 9th "Norman Eddy,\*
- 10th "James R. Slack,\*

\*These gentlemen are members of the present congress, and voted for the Nebraska bill.

The following are the whig and anti-Nebraska candidates:

- 1st district—Samuel Hall,
- 2d "Thomas C. Slaughter,
- 3d "John A. Hendricks,
- 4th "Will Cumbach,
- 5th "David P. Holloway,
- 6th "Lucien Barbour,
- 7th "Harvey D. Scott,
- 8th "Daniel Mace,
- 9th "Schuyler Colfax,
- 10th "Samuel Brenton,
- 11th "John U. Pettit.

THE LITTLE GIANT'S FIRST OPINION.—"A compact which had an origin akin to that of our glorious constitution, and which had been for thirty years enshrined in the hearts of the people as a sacred thing, which no ruthless hand would be reckless enough to disturb."

A COMPARISON.—Dr. Bibra, the German author of a new book of travel, says: "It is not till you get on board that you see the captain of a ship in all his unloveliness; between a captain at sea and a captain on shore before starting, there is the same difference as between a bride and a wife."

ANOTHER CAVING IN.—The Locofocos are badly off in Col. Bissell's district, not being able to get up a convention to nominate a candidate for congress. The Alton Courier says: "This body assembled on Tuesday last, and adjourned the same day without making a nomination, or passing any resolutions. Seven counties out of the nine, composing the district were represented, but the instructions of the Jefferson county delegation precluded their going into a nomination unless all the counties were represented, and they consequently withdrew. The St. Clair and Bond delegations then withdrew, leaving a minority of counties, and the delegates of those counties thought it inexpedient to take any action."

QUEER BLUE NOSES.—There lives at Grand Lake, New Brunswick, a man ninety-six years of age, who reads the newspapers printed on the finest type, and is waited upon by a great great-grand-daughter eighteen years of age, who is but three feet and three-fourths of an inch tall. He has a grand-daughter who is four feet eight inches high, but who weighs two hundred and eighty-six pounds. She cannot stand upon her feet more than thirty minutes at a time.

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MILWAUKEE, TUESDAY MORNING, Sept. 12.  
Flour, 7,00a8,75; Wheat, winter, 1,32a1,40; club, 1,22a1,28; common spring, 1,15a1,20; Rye, 84a85; Barley, 75a80; Oats, 25a26; Corn, 55a57; Potatoes, 45a52.—Sentinel.

CHICAGO.—No report.

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Attorneys, Counselors and Solicitors, will attend to the prosecution and settlement of all claims. County Land and other claims against the United States obtained by them promptly, having an agent in Washington to prosecute them in person. Also, General Land and Loan Agents, Notaries, &c. Office in Empire Block, Janesville, Wis.

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The above are the most sound and reliable stock companies now doing business, and the subscriber is prepared to take risks in their stock either as maker or as policy for persons desiring to be safely insured to take policies in these companies.

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May 30th, 1854.

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THE subscriber is now prepared to negotiate Insurance on Stocks of Goods, Stores, Dwellings and Household Furniture to any amount in the best New England and New York City companies.

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Of Boston, Mass., Chartered in 1843.

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No. 18 DEARBORN ST., CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.

THE subscribers have just received a large and well selected stock of

WINE & LIQUORS, CORDIALS & CIGARS.

of the choicest brands; which they offer to the country trade at prices which cannot fail to suit the buyer.

Please call before purchasing elsewhere.

MINOR & CHIPMAN.

Aug. 11, 1854.

CELEBRATED WORMWOOD CORDIAL.

THE subscriber is introducing this valuable temperance beverage, would respectfully call the attention of the public to the fact, that it is prepared from green Wormwood, an herb that grows luxuriantly in the New England States, the medicinal qualities of which, for the regulation of the stomach and blood, cannot be equalled by anything ever used. It is a sure cure and preventive of Fever, Ague, Dyspepsia, Diarrhea, and all diseases arising from impurities of the blood or action of the stomach. Try it.

Sold wholesale and retail by

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18 Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill.

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WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

Straw, Leghorn & Fancy Bonnets,











**S. C. SPAULDING,**  
PROPRIETOR OF THE  
**JEWELRY AND VARIETY STORE,**  
HAS JUST RECEIVED A Large and Beautiful assortment of New Styles of  
**Fall and Winter Goods,**  
Which in addition to his former Stock, makes his supply the MOST PERFECT and COMPLETE of any in the West. Among which may be found  
**Fine English Lever Gold Watches.**  
Also a variety of ANCHORS and LEVINE, Hunting and Open Face, English Lever, Anchor and LEVINE SILVER WATCHES.  
**HIS STOCK OF JEWELRY**  
Comprises the most beautiful and fashionable articles manufactured, among which may be found a splendid assortment of New Styles  
Ladies' Brooches, Bracelets, Ear Drops and Rings, Finger Rings, Gold and Silver Spectacles, Gold and Silver Chains, Gold and Silver Buttons, Gold and Silver Fob and Belt Buckles, Scuffs, Keys, Watch Hooks, Lockets, Sleeve Buttons, Snaps, Earrings, Tooth-picks, Gents' Gravels and Buttons, Pins, &c. &c.  
**SILVER WARE.**  
Consisting of Plain and Threaded Tea and Table Spoons, Table Forks, Butter Knives, Fruit Knives, Sugar Ladles and Spoons, Salt Cellars, Tobacco Boxes, all warranted to be of quality equal to American Coin  
**HIS STOCK OF PLATED GOODS**  
Consists of Castors, Cake Baskets, Card Receivers, Sugar Dishes, Card Receivers, Tea, Table, Dessert, Salt and Mustard Spoons, Tea, Table, Dining and Dessert Forks, Butter Knives, &c. &c.  
**A lot of FINE BRITANNIA TEA POTS** New Style.  
**A Good Assortment of GERMAN SILVER GOODS.**  
China and Glass, Toilet Cups and Saucers, Candle Sticks, Card Receivers, Vases, Mugs and Figures.  
**Cutlery.**  
A lot of fine Table Cutlery, Pocket Knives, Scissors, Shears, Razors, &c. &c.  
**Port Monnoies, Accordions, Flutes, Toy Books, Song Books, Note Paper, Envelopes, Novels.**  
**Toys!! Toys!! Toys!!**  
Every Child should have some.  
**CLOCKS.**  
Time pieces, ornamental and plain, warranted to keep Good Time.  
**LOOKING GLASSES,** Glass Vases, Bird Fountains, Statuary, India Rubber Rice, &c. &c. Toys, &c.  
**WATCHES** Cleaned and Repaired to suit customers.  
**CASH PAID** for California Gold and old Silver.  
**S. C. SPAULDING.**

**TO BUILDERS.**  
Materials Furnished.  
THE SUBSCRIBER is now prepared to furnish BUILDING MATERIALS in any quantity, and CHEAPER than can be sold anywhere else in this vicinity. Working one of the very best Quarries in the State, and possessing superior facilities for getting Out and Dressing Stone, manufacturing himself Gilt Lime, and having put in perfect operation his Mill for the manufacture of Water Lime, he can offer superior inducements to builders for the purchase of these articles. His  
**Water Lime.**  
Has been fully tested, and found to be of an excellent quality, and he is now prepared to WARRANT it in all cases, and offer it at a price making it an object to buy. In furnishing  
**Building Stone,**  
It is not too much to say he is in advance of all competitors. In his operations, and he has spared no expense in perfecting his works, and will give careful attention to the preparation of his materials. His location and the convenience of easy access to his Mill and Quarry, together with the superior character of his material, induce him to believe that he can give satisfaction to all who call upon him.  
J. C. DUSTIN.  
Jan. 10, 1854.

**ARRIVAL!**  
AT THE HAT, CAP AND FUR EMPORIUM  
ON WEST SIDE THE RIVER.  
The Largest Stock ever brought to this Market  
CONSISTING OF FINE MOLESKIN, SILK, BLACK & DRAB, FUR WOOL, PANSAMA, LEGGERS, STRAY, PALM LEAF HATS, of all the latest styles in the Market.  
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**IN CIRCUIT COURT, ROCK COUNTY—In Equity.**  
William F. Lee, vs. Mary Lutes, et al.  
The Subpoena issued in the above entitled cause, directed to the sheriff of said county, to cause the same to be returned, and it appearing that neither of said defendants could be found, and it further appearing that all and every of said defendants have failed to cause their appearance to be entered in the above entitled cause, as according to the rules of said court, the same ought to be entered, in case subpoena had been duly served. And it further appearing to the satisfaction of the undersigned, Judge of the county court for Rock County, from the return of said subpoena and from the affidavit of John R. Bennett that all and every of said defendants are out of this State: It is hereby ordered and directed, that the said defendants, Mary Lutes, Louisa Blanchard, and William Blanchard, appear, plead, answer or demur to the complainant's bill of complaint in the above entitled cause, on or before the 22nd day of December, A. D. 1854.  
MOSES S. PRICHARD,  
County Judge and ex-officio,  
Trustee, Jordan & Bennett, Solicitors for complainant.

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**Philadelphia Drug Store.**  
WEST SIDE THE RIVER.



**RESPECTFULLY** give notice to their friends and the public, that they have now in store a large and complete assortment of Goods pertaining to their line of business, which they offer as usual upon the most satisfactory terms to cash purchasers.

**TO PHYSICIANS.**  
They respectfully commend their stock of  
**FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRUGS,**  
as being about the fullest and most complete in the interior of the State, and comprising many Medicinal Agents recently introduced to the notice of the Faculty. The care taken in selecting their goods, and the attention bestowed upon this important branch of their trade will, it is thought, be apparent at once, and they accordingly invite an examination by the Profession, promising, that while they offer PURE AND UNADULTERATED ARTICLES, the Prices shall be at the Lowest possible market.

**TO SURGEONS AND DENTISTS.**  
The subscribers have just received from the New York Surgical Instrument Manufactory a supply of their Celebrated Instruments, to which they ask the attention of Physicians and Surgeons, which they offer at Manufacturers' Prices, adding freight and insurance.  
**OGILVIE & BARROWS,**  
West side the River.

**TO DIGNERREAN ARTISTS.**  
THE SUBSCRIBERS respectfully call the attention of Dignerean Artists, and others interested, to the  
**Artists' Materials, Col. Micals, &c.**  
which comprises all the articles used in the Photographic Art, including the most BEAUTIFUL MINIATURE CASES AND LOCKETS, in all styles to be found in the country, all of which are of the very low prices, and guarantee satisfaction to every purchaser.  
**OGILVIE & BARROWS,**  
Janesville, June 24, 1854.

**BEESWAX** for sale at  
**PHILADELPHIA DRUG STORE.**  
**A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF FANCY HAIR BRUSHES AND COMBS** at  
**PHILADELPHIA DRUG STORE.**  
**WINDOW GLASS.**—French and American WINDOW GLASS, from 1/2 to 26 inches, full supply for sale by  
**OGILVIE & BARROWS,**  
Janesville, June 24, 1854.

**PERFUMERY.**—The undersigned have just received a Large Assortment of LUBIN'S and JARVIS'S CELEBRATED PERFUMERY, which they offer to dealers at a small advance on cost.  
**OGILVIE & BARROWS,**  
Philadelphia Drug Store.

**JAY'S**  
**CHERRY PECTORAL.**  
For the Cure of  
**COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRONCHITIS, CROUP, ASTHMA, WHOOPING COUGH AND CONSUMPTION.**  
THE SUBSCRIBERS not being regular agents for the sale of the above named Medicine, offer it for sale at the rate of SEVEN SHILLINGS A BOTTLE, which is the wholesale price, pledging themselves to sell the genuine article only.  
Also, AYRES'S CELEBRATED PILLS, for Sale at the Wholesale Price.  
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Janesville, June 24, 1854.

**TO BUILDERS AND PAINTERS.**  
**A FULL SUPPLY OF**  
THOMPSON'S PURE LEAD,  
French and American Zinc,  
Silver's Paste Paint,  
Lined Oil, boiled and raw, Turpentine,  
Paint Dryer, Red Lead, Varnishes,  
Painters' Colors, &c. &c.  
Always on hand and for sale at the lowest prices, at  
**PHILADELPHIA DRUG STORE.**

**500 GALLONS LINED OIL.**  
Just received and for sale by the Barrel or Gallon, at the Philadelphia Drug Store by  
**OGILVIE & BARROWS,**  
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**A New Store in Janesville!**  
**THE EMPORIUM OF FASHION AND**  
**Gentlemen's Furnishing Store**  
KENYON is now receiving a New Stock of Goods from New York, which he will sell at extremely LOW PRICES, consisting in part as follows:  
**CLOTHING** of all kinds, Shirts, Collars, Cravats, Scarves, &c. &c.  
**Silk and Linen Hosiery,**  
**Socks, a full assortment,**  
**Hat, Silk and Lisle Ties, GLOVES,**  
**Suspenders, Belts, &c. &c.**  
I would also call particular attention to my Stock of  
**Hats & Caps.**  
Moleskin, Drab, Beaver, Wool, Panama, Leghorn, Palm-leaf, and all the latest styles of Children's Hats and Caps, and in fact everything in the branch of the Clothing Store will be found at the EMPORIUM.  
And it is further ordered that this order be served personally on each of the above named defendants within twenty days from the date hereof by delivering to each of them a copy thereof, or that the said order be published in the Janesville Daily Gazette, a newspaper printed in the city of Janesville in Rock County, Wisconsin, for six weeks successively at least once in each week before the said second day of December, A. D. 1854. Dated August 31st, 1854.  
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**The Spring & Summer Campaign**  
**OF 1854 NOW OPEN!**

THE WAR AGAINST HIGH PRICES IS STILL PROGRESSING AT THE **NEW YORK CASH STORE!**  
LARGEST OF THE VERY BEST GOODS  
TRADE IN ROCK COUNTY, THE

**IMMENSE DAILY ARRIVALS!**  
**CASH SYSTEM TRIUMPHANT!**  
Goods Cheaper than ever before known!!!  
**M. C. SMITH & CO.**  
ARE now receiving at their Store next door to the Post Office, an Immense Stock of Merchandise, Consisting of  
**FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,**  
Ready Made Clothing,  
Bonnets, Hats and Caps,  
Boots and Shoes,  
Crockery and Glass Ware,  
Groceries,  
Carpets, Floor Cloths,  
And the most General Assortment of ALL KINDS OF MERCHANDISE, never before offered in this City, bought entirely for CASH, and will be sold in the same way at prices that will defy all competition.  
Janesville, May 18th, 1854. M. C. SMITH & CO. 37

**Janesville Leather Store.**  
THE SUBSCRIBER is almost daily receiving additions to his STOCK of  
**Leather, Findings, and Saddlery Hardware,**  
from the Eastern Markets.  
Those in the HARNESS and SHOE business can now obtain their supply of the best quality in this new, beautiful and enterprising city. CHEAP FOR CASH, and save time, trouble and expense in traveling either to the Lake or farther East.  
It appears that some of our friends have had a sudden impulse of benevolence, and have been kind enough to let the subscribers know that the rats did in the stable, that there was a cat in the white heap.  
Also, received and receiving an extensive assortment of  
**Boots & Shoes,**  
which are offered at Wholesale, at prices SO LOW, that all who wish to purchase, on examination will not hesitate to buy.  
Location, west side of River, on Milwaukee street, opposite the site of the Stevens House.  
**Cash Paid for Hides and Skins.**  
Please to give me a call, and perhaps our city may not in some respects be second to Milwaukee.  
JOSIAH T. WRIGHT.  
Janesville, July 5, 1854.

**KIER'S ROCK OIL.**  
FROM A Well 400 feet deep, near Pittsburgh, Pa., is offered to the public as a Natural Medicine of no common value. It is a different thing from the old Kentucky or American Oil, as this is used INTERNALLY as well as externally. As a local remedy in Paralysis, Palsy, Rheumatism, Deafness, Loss of Sight, Burns, &c., also, as a valuable Internal Remedy for Piles, Ague, Scrofula, Coughs, Diarrhoea, Erysipelas, old Sores, Eruptions of the Skin, Female Diseases, Worms, Badder and Kidneys, Bronchitis, Pains &c. &c. It invites the investigating Physician, as well as the suffering patient, to become acquainted with its merits.  
Discovered in 1849, it has within 2 or 3 years, made multitudes of cures, multitudes of friends, and as much as tried the Sales only increase but hold out. Testimony to its great merit is constantly accumulating in the hands of the proprietor by certificates, letters, and in other ways.  
IT CURES THE WHOLE MAN—flesh and blood, skin and bones—from head to foot—how it acts upon the system—upon diseases of different manifestations, we cannot fully tell. While it is both cathartic and astringent, it is Alterative—and mind you, a REGULATOR. A leading principle, in the treatment of disease, you once have it in the family you will not be without it. Full as the world is of Patent Medicines—it is thought not best to suppress this, the work of NATURE—to make room for *Human Inventions*. Price, 25 cents per bottle. It can be had of wholesale dealers at large cities and towns in the West at proportionate prices.  
**HAVE WE AGUE AGAIN?**—A tea spoonful every three hours in the absence of the fever will cure you of Ague or Malaria, in 2 or 3 days. Physicians, Druggists, and friends of the afflicted will do well to recommend this Oil for PROLAPSUS UTERI, and good will be done—take the usual dose 2 or 3 times a day, and you will be the better for it. Have you SCROFULA? The Petroleum will eradicate it, root and branch, at little cost or inconvenience. Get circulars of directions for adults and children, gratis of the agents. A trial is all we ask. Mind and get the right kind—it is of a beautiful reddish color and clear. Try it for Piles.  
For sale by  
C. F. Simms, Cary & Gordon, Detroit; G. W. Kinsie, Magnolia; Goodrich, Davis & Co., Milton; S. A. Pond, Albany; P. D. Vaughn & Co., Union; H. Cheney, Johnsonville; M. Elmer, La Grange, Ind.; J. H. Lynde, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Procter, &c.  
R. M. LYON, Fort Wayne, Ind., Proprietor.

**WEST SIDE!**  
JUST OPENING A Large Stock of PAPER HANGINGS, CURTAIN PAPERS and OIL WINDOW SHADES, of New and Beautiful Designs; Patent and Brass Curtain Trimmings complete. Cords, Tassels &c., at the **HOUSE FURNISHING STORE** of  
**COOLEY & BABCOCK.**  
Janesville, May 12th, 1854.

**BUSINESS CONTINUED.**—The subscriber, thankful for past favors, will still continue the business at the old stand, and is happy to wait upon his friends and customers at all times.  
**J. O. NORTHWAY.**  
Footville, July 14th, 1854.

**ALICOES.**—A first rate assortment. We sell the best made for 10 cents.  
**ALPACCA,** a good article for 15 ct.  
**COOLEY & BABCOCK.**  
Janesville, May 12th, 1854.

**RESOLUTION.**—The Copartner-Lip heretofore existing under the name and firm of Northway & Babcock, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent.  
**J. O. NORTHWAY,**  
**J. E. BABCOCK.**  
Footville, July 14th, 1854.

**SUNNY MEMORIES OF FOREIGN**  
Lands, by Mrs. H. B. Store. Just received and for sale at  
**"THE LANDS" Bookstore.**  
Aug. 11th, 1854.

**A GREAT MISTAKE.**  
**J. B. CROSBY & Co.**  
HAVE just returned from New York and Boston, and purchased a large stock of Merchandise that they have not room to store them, and to remedy this, they have concluded to mark their goods down at  
**A TRIFLE ABOVE COST,**  
which will crowd their store with customers and ensure large and heavy sales, thus making room for goods yet to arrive.  
**THIS IS NO HUMBU!**  
but a REALITY, and to be convinced of this fact personally, look through their immense stock, see the amount of goods they have in store, (and but a portion of their stock has yet arrived,) enquire the price, and you will acknowledge that we will sell you  
**GOOD GOODS, at nearly half the Price,**  
that other Merchants charge. We shall not mention a few leading articles and their prices, and sell the balance of stock at higher rates, as other Merchants do, but shall mark our whole stock at a small regular profit, and adhere strictly to it.  
Our stock consists of STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, CROCKERY, BOOTS AND SHOES, HATS, CAPS, CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, IRON-MADE CLOTHING, &c. &c. to which we invite special attention, as to quality and price, as we are determined that  
**Every Sale shall give Full and Perfect Satisfaction.**  
Auction or shop worn goods which are not cheap at any price we do not deal in; but buy only the best grade of goods, and of the latest styles. We are the only House in Janesville that do a strictly cash business, and buying of importers and wholly for cash, we  
**CAN AND WILL SELL CHEAPER AND BETTER GOODS,**  
than those who buy small stocks on time, and sell them the same way.  
**To Country Merchants,**  
We would say, that we will sell you goods at New York and Boston prices, adding freight. You will find us at the old stand of J. B. CROSBY, two doors above the Post Office.  
**J. B. CROSBY & CO.**  
Janesville, May 30, 1854.

**ONE PRICE SYSTEM.**  
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**1854 SPRING TRADE 1854**  
**DRUGS, MEDICINES.**  
PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, &c.  
**NOW OPEN!**  
NEW GOODS RECEIVED, AND THE HEAVIEST STOCK IN THE INTERIOR.

**EXCISOR**  
**FARWELL & BRO.**

**THE above cut is taken from a daguerreotype**  
created especially for the Drug Trade, and fitted up in the most improved style.  
**TO THE TRADE.</**







## JANESVILLE CITY BANK,

MAINT STREET, JANESVILLE.

Drafts for Sale on all the principal cities of the Union and Great Britain.

This Bank will purchase Notes, Drafts, Certificates of Deposit, County Orders, &amp;c. &amp;c.

For our customers, approved paper discounted to any amount.

Notes &amp;c., received for collection without charge—

Procedured immediately, less current rate of exchange.

HENRY B. BUNSTER, Pres't.

J. H. VERNILY, Cashier.

## BADGER STATE BANK,

MAIN STREET, JANESVILLE, WIS.

Particular attention paid to collections.

SIGHT DRAFTS on the principal cities of the Union

constantly for sale, and also Drafts on Great Britain, in

sums to suit purchasers.

E. L. DIMOCK, Cashier.

September 1st 1858.

Exchange Bank of W. J. Bell &amp; Co., Milwaukee.

J. D. KELLOGG, Cashier.

Bank of Racine, Racine.

H. J. ULLMAN, Cashier.

Bank of Fond du Lac, Fond du Lac.

A. G. BURLIN, Cashier.

1854. L. J. HIGBY, 1854.

Forwarding, Commission and Produce

MERCHANT.

Will contract to forward Goods or Produce to or

from any port East or West, by responsible lines by

Railroad or Canal, will attend to selling grain or other

produce at the Railroad Depot here; all which, with my

NEW WAREHOUSE at the Depot, and Mammoth Pier,

give me advantages more convenient to country mer-

chants than any other house here.

Milwaukee, March 20th, 1854.

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## AMERICAN EXPRESS OFFICE,

JANESVILLE, MAY 21, 1853.

A messenger of this company leaves this city tri-

weekly, connecting at Chicago with daily lines to New

York, Boston, Philadelphia, Cincinnati, St. Louis, and

all the principal cities in the United States and Cana-

das. Collections made at any point on their route;

Gold, Silver, Bank Notes and Express matter generally

forwarded with despatch, and all business entrusted to

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WELLS, BUTTERFIELD &amp; CO., LIVINGSTON, FARGO &amp; CO.,

Buffalo.

87th W. W. HOLDEN, Agent.

## IMPORTANT AND SPECIAL

NOTICE TO EDITORS AND PUBLISHERS OF NEWS-

PAPERS.—A young gentleman of a most distinguish-

ed and influential family, who has received a liberal col-

lege (both Civil and Military) education, and is an

active and energetic writer, desires a situation as

Editor or Associate Editor; or would act as a Reporter

for a daily paper. Should be successful in becoming

connected with the editorial faculty, his brother, who

is at present editor of one of the leading public journals

of San Francisco, will correspond for the paper as often

as mail facilities will permit; a gentleman in New York

city of rare abilities will also contribute weekly

columns, and will be the advertiser. Most

distinguished references given as to qualifications.

Address "Virginia," box 415, Janesville P. O., Wis.

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## NOTICE.

STREET COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

Third Ward, City of Janesville.

THE UNDERSIGNED having ordered

that Main street in said third ward of the City

of Janesville, be graded and walks laid from Court

square as far south as the intersection of said street

with Madison street, notice is hereby given to the

owners of the lots or parts of lots, or land adjoining

and on both sides of said street, that they are required

to do said work by the 1st day of October next, accord-

ing to the directions and plans of the city engineer,

and if the said work shall not be done by them within

said time, the undersigned will enter into contract for

doing the same, in accordance with the provision of

the city charter.

L. E. STONE, Street Com'r.

ELLERY A. HOWLAND, Street Com'r.

H. O. CLARK.

## MURRY'S FLUID MAGNESIA.

A mild, safe and elegant anti-acid aperient,

possessing all the properties of the magnesia in gen-

eral use, and effectually cures heart-burn without in-

juring the coats of the stomach. It prevents the food of in-

fants turning sour, and in cases not as a pleasant

aperient peculiarly adapted for females. For sale by

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## NOTICE.

STREET COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

First Ward, City of Janesville.

THE UNDERSIGNED having ordered

that Milwaukee street in said First Ward of the

city of Janesville, be graded from the west end of

the bridge crossing River in First and Second

wards to the intersection of said street with

Madison street, notice is hereby given to the

owners and occupants of the lots or parts of lots, or

land adjoining, and on both sides of said street, where

it is ordered to be graded, that they are required to

do said work by the 15th day of September next,

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JANESVILLE, AUG. 13, 1854.

R. B. TRAT, Street Commissioner.

JAS. H. OGDON, Street Commissioners.

B. F. FINLEY.

THIS STATE OF WISCONSIN, ROCK COUNTY.—

In the matter of the estate of Ira Gibbs, deceased.

On this 15th day of August, A. D.

1854, upon reading and filing the petition of Caro-

line Gibbs, stating that one Ira Gibbs, her husband,

died intestate on or about the 15th day of July

1854, and praying that she and Chancy Ross be ap-

pointed administrators on the estate of said deceased: It

is ordered, that said application be heard at 10 o'clock

of the forenoon, in the office of the said clerk, on the

11th day of September A. D. 1854, at 10 o'clock, A. M. And it

is further ordered, that notice of said application and

hearing be given by publishing a copy of this order for

three successive weeks, once in each week, in the

Janesville Gazette, a newspaper printed in said city,

prior to said hearing.

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MOSES S. RICHARD, County Judge.

IN PROBATE—COUNTY COURT, FOR ROCK COUN-

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In matter of the Guardianship of Sumner C. French.

On reading and filing the petition of

Eliza L. French, guardian of said minor represent-

ing among other things that said minor is seized of

certain real estate in this county, and that it is ex-

pected that the same should be sold, and praying for

license to sell the same: And it appearing to the court

from said petition that it would be beneficial to the said

minor to sell said real estate: It is ordered and direct-

ed, that the next day of September next, at 10 o'clock

of the forenoon, at the office of said judge in the city

of Janesville, in said county.

And it is further ordered that notice thereof be given

to all persons interested, by publishing a copy

of this order, for three successive weeks, prior to the

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# TRAIN BOARD

Summer Arrangement.  
1854 MILWAUKEE 1854

**And Mississippi Railroad.**  
**NOW** In operation from Milwaukee to Madison, about 100 miles.  
 On and after May 29th, 1854, the trains will run as follows, except Sundays:

**GOING WESTWARDLY:**  
 A passenger train will leave Milwaukee at 7.30 A. M., arrive at Madison at 11 A. M., at Madison, the capital of the State, at 12.40 P. M.  
 A passenger train will leave Milwaukee at 5.55

GOING EASTWARDLY

A passenger train will leave Madison, for the present at 3 A. M., and Jacksonville at 5 A. M., and arrive at Chicago at 8 P. M. It is not yet decided whether this morning boat is to be so.

A passenger train will also leave Madison at 1.30 P. M., and Jacksonville at 3.30 P. M., and arrive at Chicago at 8 P. M. It is not yet decided whether this morning boat is to be so.

Freight trains run each way every day the entire length of the road.

Stages will run in connection with the cars to and from the following places: White-water, to A. Stevens; Port Winnebago, Fond du Lac, Beaver Dam, Horicon, Waupun and Berlin, which will commence running on and after June 10th.

Stages will also run from Madison, to Sauk, Baraboo, Dodgeville, Mineral Point, Florence, Galena, Dubuque and to various other portions of the state.

Passengers are ticketed to and from Madison to Chicago at \$5.00, and to and from Jacksonville to Chicago at \$4.00.

N. B. The price from Milwaukee to all eastern points is the same as from Chicago, which makes the

39 EDWARD H. PRODHAM,  
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Leaves Chicago daily (Sundays excepted), at 7 A. M.

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GREAT WESTERN MAIL ROUTE!  
GALENA & HIASO UNION R. R.

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TWO Passenger Trains will leave daily (Sundays excepted) from the Wells street Depot, for Warren, Jo Davies county:  
First train at 8.10 A. M. Evening Train at 8.2 P. M.

Two Passenger Trains daily, (Sundays excepted.) will leave for Afton, (64 miles from Janesville) via Beloit, at 8 1/2 A. M. and 3 35 P. M.

Passengers for Milwaukee, De'to'r, Juncosville and Madison, will leave Chicago at 8.15 A. M. and 8.35 P. M.

Far from Chicago to Warren, 1st class,	\$2.85, 2d	\$2.55
" " " " Galena,	3.25,	4.15
" " " " D. Buque,	6.25,	6.15
" " " " Lame,	1.55,	1.50
" " " " Dixon,	2.55,	2.50

"	"	"	Arlton,	"	2.50,	"	2.00
"	"	"	Janesville,	"	8.00,	"	2.50
<b>TRAINS EASTWARD TO CHICAGO LEAVE</b>							
Warren	at 11:15 A.M.	arrive at Chicago	at 6:45 P.M.				
"	9:35 P.M.	"	4:00 A.M.				
Arlton	6:00 A.M.	"	11:00 P.M.				

Passengers from Dixon, Oregon, &c., will leave Lane, (Hickory Grove) at 5 A. M., and arrive at Chicago at 3:30 P. M.

Connections made east with all the great eastern lines to Buffalo, New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Pitts-

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A short distance north of the Stevens House, J. H. BUDD, Proprietor.

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# The Daily Gazette.

JANESVILLE : : : WISCONSIN.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 13, 1854.

## ROCK COUNTY REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

The electors of Rock county who are determined to support no man for office who is not positively and fully committed to the support of the principles announced in the "Republican Platform" adopted at Madison on the 18th of July last, and whose personal character, political associations and private conduct, do not afford a guarantee that he is reliable, are invited to meet in their respective townships or wards at the place of holding the last township or ward election, on Tuesday, 10th day of October next, at 2 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing a thorough organization of the Republican party in their towns or wards, and of appointing delegates to a county convention hereby called at the Court House in Janesville, on THURSDAY, the 12th day of October next, at 2 o'clock P. M., to nominate a county ticket.

The towns and wards will be entitled to representation in the county convention as follows:—to wit:

Town or Ward	Representatives
Aron	1
Beloit	10
Bradford	3
Clinton	4
Fulton	4
Harmouy	4
Lincoln	4
Madison	4
Marion	4
Monroe	4
Portage	4
Rock	4
Spring Valley	4
Turtle	4

L. P. HARVEY, J. H. BOND, JOHN HOWE, S. G. COLLEY, G. H. WILKINSON, A. HASKINS, PETER SCHMIDT, J. DAWSON, E. VINCENT, County Committee.

## 17th SENATORIAL DISTRICT CONVENTION.

At the same time and place above designated in the respective towns and wards for meetings, to choose delegates to the county convention, the Republican electors of the wards of the city of Janesville, and of the towns in this county comprised in the 17th Senatorial District, are requested to select an equal number of delegates to which they are entitled under the above appointment in the county convention, to represent them in a Senatorial convention hereby called at the Court House in Janesville, on THURSDAY the 12th day of October next at 11 o'clock, A. M., to nominate a candidate for senator.

By order of the County Committee.

## Congressional Convention—Second District.

The electors of the second congressional district of Wisconsin, comprising the counties of Rock, Green, Dane, Iowa, Lafayette, Grant, Richland, Sauk, Adams, Portage, Marathon, Crawford, Bad Ax, La Crosse, Monroe, Polk, Pierce, Trempealeau, Elk, Chippewa, Clark, Dunn, Buffalo, St. Croix, Douglas and La Pointe, who are opposed to the Nebraska iniquity, and in favor of the principles announced in the "Republican" platform, adopted at Madison July 18th, are invited to meet in their respective assembly districts and select two delegates from each to represent them in a congressional convention to be held at Mineral Point on Wednesday, the 18th of September, at 10 o'clock P. M., to nominate a candidate to be supported at the approaching election. By order of the state central committee, WM. A. WHITE, Chairman.

Madison, August 14.

## For telegraphic news see third page.

NEW PAPER AT WATERTOWN.—D. M. Ballou, late associate editor of the Green Bay Advocate is about starting a new paper at Watertown. A third paper at that point may pay, but we doubt it.—Free Democrat.

We, too. There are two good papers already published at that place, sufficient to represent every interest, political, social, local; and there is not the least possible excuse for dividing up the support, small enough we dare affirm, upon a third. Let the citizens of Watertown and of Jefferson county, give to the papers already established there all the patronage they have to bestow, and discourage any further competition, and they will find the advantage of so doing in the constant improvements this course will enable the present publishers to make in their papers.

VERMONT ELECTION.—The anti-Nebraska majority for state officers, the Vermont State Banner thinks, cannot fall below ten thousand. In fifty-nine towns heard from, forty-one whig representatives are chosen, eleven free soil, six democrats, and one, no choice. The legislature will be anti-Nebraska by at least three to one, securing two United States senators. It is another in the succession of severe rebukes the administration has suffered and is bound to suffer for fathering the Nebraska iniquity, as well as for other sins of omission and commission.

POTATOES.—We hear that speculators are in from abroad buying potatoes for the purpose of shipping. Prices are ruling high at the east, and a deficiency in the supply is feared. Our farmers had better be cautious about selling, until they ascertain the market price and who is buying.

HORICON ARREST.—This is the title of a new paper, the first number of which is before us, published at Horicon, by Wm. E. Croft; W. H. Butterfield, editor. It is well printed, and does "not hesitate to support the national and state administrations so far as they are true to democratic principles." We suppose it is to be its own judge as to this, and will not be very likely to discover a departure from these principles, even though it should be apparent enough to others.

If the editor of the Woodstock Republican Free Press has been a "whig of the strictest sort," he has taken a queer way of manifesting his former political affiliations since he assumed the control of that press; and our neighbor across the river purchases his lively gratification by having simply blundered upon a fact, not only without evidence, but in spite of every appearance of evidence.

MASSACHUSETTS REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.—The Republicans in Massachusetts met in convention at Worcester on the 7th. Henry Wilson was nominated for governor, by a vote of 316 out of 480, and Increase Sumner for lieutenant governor, by nearly a unanimous vote. The resolutions passed are nearly the same as our Madison platform.

The glass of the crystal palace at Sydenham, when illuminated by the sun, may be distinctly seen by a person with ordinary eye-sight from the fields adjoining the national school house at Bilericay, a distance of at least 20 miles.

## Democratic Congressional Convention.

The democratic convention for the nomination of a candidate for congress for this district, met at the court house in this place on the 6th instant. The convention was well attended, there being over forty delegates present; and a right good looking crowd they were.

The convention was permanently organized by the election of Major John H. Rountree, of Grant, as president, Ephraim F. Ogden, of La Fayette, and Abram Brawley, of Portage, for vice presidents, and C. H. McLaughlin, of Sauk, and John B. Sweet, of Dane, as secretaries.

A resolution was offered for the appointment of a committee to draft resolutions expressive of the sense of the convention—the vote on which resulted as follows:

For the committee 8. Against the committee 22.

The convention then proceeded to an informal ballot for a candidate for congress, with the following result:

David Noggle, 2; John Mitchell, 12; Ben C. Eastman, 14; Henry M. Billings, 4; Otis Hoyt, 5; Joseph Hardy, 1; J. E. Sweet, 1; Chas. Dunn, 1; D. S. Vittum, 1; Blank, 2.

The convention then proceeded to ballot formally for a candidate for congress. We give the ballots as follows:

	1st.	2nd.	3d.	4th.
Noggle	7	7	5	—
Mitchell	11	11	11	11
Eastman	14	12	13	13
Billings	4	—	—	—
Hoyt	5	7	5	8
Hardy	3	4	7	2
Vittum	3	—	—	—
Dewey	—	—	—	—
C. Woodman	—	—	—	1
D. W. Kyle	—	—	—	1
T. Rodolf	—	—	—	1
B. L. Sharpstein	—	—	—	2
M. H. Carpenter	—	—	—	1
Blank	—	—	—	—

A motion was made to adjourn after the third formal ballot, which was lost 13 to 18. After the fourth ballot the convention adjourned until 7 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.—The convention was called to order at 7 1/2 o'clock. An attempt was again made for a committee on resolutions, which was promptly voted down, but renewed several times during the evening, until it was finally clinched by a motion to reconsider, which of course was lost. After several ballots, in which Mr. Hardy, who was said to be a whig, received a number of votes, the question was raised who Mr. Hardy is, and how he stands on the Nebraska question, which was answered by a delegate from La Fayette, that he (Mr. Hardy) was a citizen of Shullsburg, a democrat to the core, and a true blue Nebraska man. At this time a discussion arose which threatened at one time to disturb the harmony of the convention. It was claimed by a portion of the convention that they had no business to ask how a man stood on the Nebraska question, [cries, yes we have, yes we have,] but it was enough to know that he was a democrat. One gentleman thought it best to nominate Eastman for two years more, and then elect the other aspirants for the same length of time, and he had found by a mathematical calculation that all might be served in the course of one hundred and sixty years! This brought up Ben's right bower, who said Mr. Eastman had faithfully represented this district as a democrat. [Cries, no he hasn't, no he hasn't.] He then inquired if there was a gentleman present who would say that Eastman had not done his duty in congress. [Cries, yes, yes, yes.] The excitement was here checked by a call for another ballot for a candidate.

## BALLOTING IN THE EVENING.

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.	5th.	6th.	7th.	8th.	9th.	10th.	11th.	12th.	13th.	14th.	15th.	16th.	17th.	18th.	19th.	20th.	21st.	22nd.	23rd.	24th.	25th.	26th.	27th.	28th.	29th.	30th.	
Eastman	14	15	15	13	13	12	14	12	16	16	14	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	
Mitchell	11	12	10	11	11	10	11	10	12	14	16	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	
Hoyt	5	3	7	8	8	7	6	3	8	7	5	8	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	
Hardy	2	4	3	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	
Noggle	8	5	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Strong	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vittum	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sharpstein	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Carpenter	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Billings	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Five more ballots were had, with similar results, when the convention adjourned till nine o'clock to-morrow morning.

THURSDAY MORNING, 9 o'clock.

The convention assembled pursuant to adjournment. The 22d ballot stood, Eastman 18, Mitchell 18, Hoyt 17. The 23d, Eastman 18, Mitchell 12, Hoyt 18, Kyle 1. Mr. Rose, of Lafayette, here introduced a series of strong Nebraska resolutions, (which we were unable to obtain,) which he sustained in a speech, calling on the democracy to show their colors, and not try to dodge this question.

The resolutions were laid on the table by a vote of 28 to 21. Mr. Mitchell's name was here withdrawn, after which a 24th ballot was taken, with the following result: Eastman 12, Hoyt 19, Strong 5, Carpenter 1, Blank 4.

The resolutions were then taken from the table, discussed, and finally adopted by a vote of 25 to 10; Messrs. Billings, Boyden and Zollinger, of this county, voting for, and Mr. Lean against them. The Green county delegation here withdrew from the convention.

Mr. Eastman appeared and stated that he considered the resolutions just adopted, as censuring his course in congress, and withdrew his name as a candidate from the convention. His course was well received by his friends, and we have no doubt their number will be increased by this act.

Mr. Woodlee of Rock, introduced a resolution repudiating the administration of Frank Pierce, in the strongest terms, which he prefaced with some cutting remarks on the course of the president in abandoning the Baltimore platform and the principles of his inaugural address, and wound up by saying that the conduct of Frank Pierce had been such as would disgrace a chairman of a board of supervisors; much more a president of the United States. This resolution was voted down, 27 to 18. A resolution to adjourn without day was here offered and lost, 16 to 25 against. The 25th ballot was now taken and resulted for Hoyt 20, McKee 8, Billings 4, Noggle, Carpenter and Jordan, each 1. The 26th ballot was then ordered and resulted as follows: Hoyt 25, Billings 8, scattering 7; and Mr. Hoyt was declared the candidate of the convention.

Mr. Hoyt is register of the land office at Hudson, in the north-west part of the state. On the whole, the proceedings were decidedly rich. Nebraska has triumphed here, to be badly whipped at the ballot-box in November.—Mineral Point Tribune, Extra, Sept. 7.

The whig committee of Michigan have called a state convention at Marshall on the 4th of October. The present is a crisis in the politics of Michigan. Thus far the indications are full of promise. Thus far, the friends of freedom, generally, have exhibited a degree of wisdom and forbearance promising the most gratifying results. If the delegates to this convention, as we cannot doubt, shall be equally wise, and look rather to the triumph of a great principle than to the gratification of party pride, the dough-faces will be overwhelmed in November.—Albany Journal.

A PIC-NIC PARTY SURROUNDED BY FIRE IN THE Woods.—Last week, on Friday, a gay and thoughtless party of males and females, some thirty in number, provided themselves with pails and baskets of all capacities, cigars, ginger-pop and luncheon, and jumping into a railroad car, rode to a station on the Albany and Boston railroad, that is in the immediate vicinity of one of the tallest of the Berkshire range of mountains. The hill was said to be covered with countless bushes of blackberries, all "dead ripe," and all of the high bush variety, which are the largest and the sweetest.

They left the station in high spirits, and in a few minutes were buried in a wilderness of that fine and beautiful fruit that they went out to seek.

An hour of preserving picking resulted in filling every vessel they had carried with them, and as they gathered at the spot appointed for luncheon—a secluded nook in a place covered with verdure, watered by a little brook of pure cool water and surrounded on all sides but one by beetling cliffs—they found themselves flung, wofully lacerated by "prickers" and thorns, their dresses torn badly and hands and faces deeply dyed with blackberry juice, but with keen appetites, and pails and baskets all heaped up and running over with fine ripe fruit.

Down they sat and devoured their ample lunch, lighted their cigars, drank their pop, and indulged two or three times in songs, tales, dances and other pastimes.

It was not known to them when they first started for the mountain that a portion of it was on fire, but of the conflagration they thought nothing, being entirely absorbed in their picking and amusements. But the smoke grew dense, the air became hot and stifling, the winds were up, and the fall of an immense burning cinder into their very midst roused the thoughtless party to a realizing idea of what was in progress above and around them. Looking up, judge of their consternation when they saw themselves almost begirt by a tremendous conflagration, which had spread with nearly the speed of the wind that fanned the flames and urged forward the destruction. Their only way of escape was through the narrow gorge down which the little brook plunged, and the flames were rapidly approaching both sides of even that chance for exit!

Not a moment was to be lost! All rushed instinctively for the narrow opening before them, leaving behind them the burning berry that had picked. But they found the little brook could run where they could not, and that the precipices, underbrush, no path, and the stifling smoke which blew hot in their faces and blinded their eyes, rendered their progress slow. And it was slow. The ladies had to be helped at every step almost. Overhead and nearly all around was a world of fire. Before them was just a narrow way of escape yet, and that might at any moment be crossed and they surrounded by a belt of fire!

Eagerly they pressed forward, the stoutest leading the way, and all encouraging each other as well as they could.

The air grew thicker and darker. The heat was dreadful. Sparks and cinders fell like rain around them. Their clothing was repeatedly on fire. The roar and crackle of the flames was almost deafening, and occasionally the fall of a burning tree crashed upon their ears and added to their terrors.

At last, when some were growing too weak to go further, two had fainted and had to be carried, and their condition was momentarily becoming more and more desperate and hopeless, suddenly the wind changed round and blew a fierce blast up the narrow ravine the party were traveling! All were instantly invigorated, relieved of the smoke in front, and heartily encouraged. With a shout they pressed forward again, and in about fifteen minutes succeeded in gaining a point beyond immediate danger, and in an hour were on their way home in the railway car.

Their escape was a narrow one indeed. Not half an hour had elapsed after their escape ere the trees and brush of the ravine were in a blaze, and their trusting place was lost in a deluge of fire.

One of the rescued party told us the story of his adventure with the rest, and fairly shuddered when he came to what he termed the "toughest spot," where there was "a smart chance for a barbecue of Beckett."—Albany Express.

We are glad to find that the ~~editor~~ was in error in stating that Senator Douglas was not permitted to speak at Chicago. We cannot approvingly see the right of free speech denied to any man, and least of all denied by the friends of free labor.

It turns out, however, that Douglas did speak. What success he had in convincing his fellow-citizens may be read elsewhere. Having first surrounded himself with a rowdy crew of personal backers, except the "Douglas body guard," he invited the citizens of Chicago to come and hear his vindication of his course, and pronounce their opinion of it. They did so. They came eight thousand strong. If they had not, he and the "body guard" would have published all over the union that a public meeting had been held in Chicago, in which his official acts were sustained and endorsed triumphantly and unanimously.

He spoke for half an hour or more. When he asked their attention, they bade him "go on," and listened quietly. When he questioned them, they answered him, and he got rather the worst of it. He appeared to know if there was any man in that crowd who was in favor of the Missouri compromise? "Yes," they shouted. "Douglas was once!" He said sixty-one members of the legislature voted to instruct him to go for the bill and only four voted against it. Whereupon, they gave nine cheers for the ~~four~~. When he asserted that he represented their views, they responded with groans and hisses. At last losing his temper, he informed them he should stay there and talk as long as he pleased. They made no objection, but struck up the appropriate chorus,

"We won't go home till morning, Till day-light does appear."

And then with a sudden change of purpose he left, and they adjourned. There was no violence, nor any threat of it. We would have preferred, for our own part, to have seen Mr. Douglas left to address his remarks to a "beggarly array of empty benches." That would have expressed the popular contempt, without giving a pretext for the charge that he was not allowed a fair hearing. But the people of the city feared their real sentiments might be misrepresented to the country at large, and that they were determined not to permit.—Albany Journal.

WISCONSIN POLITICS.—Our political friends in Wisconsin appear to be managing their affairs at this time most admirably. They are in no flutter of excitement, but are diligently gathering their strength, and when they move on to the accomplishment of their great purpose, the republican phalanx will be as one mass and one man, and the prestige of victory will not fail. The freemen of Wisconsin have a most noble impulse to urge them on, and we are glad to note in all quarters the indications of their sincerity. In their prompt action in obedience, to its dictates.—Galena Advertiser.

THE "SOFTS" AT SYRACUSE.—The "softs" or administration wing of the sham democracy of New York, held their state convention at Syracuse on Wednesday and Thursday last. They had an interesting time of it; but there, as at Mineral Point, the federal office-holders proved too much for the masses of the party. The first day was occupied in the usual preliminaries of organization, the appointment of committees, etc.; the convention refusing, 246 to 75, to make any nominations, until they had constructed a platform to put them on. On the morning of the second day, the committee on resolutions submitted two reports, majority and minority; Nebraska being the rock on which they split. The majority resolution speaks of the repeal of the Missouri compromise as "inexpedient and unnecessary," but deprecates any "agitation" with a view to restore that line, and indirectly approves of the Nebraska bill. The minority resolution, reported by Mr. Abijah Mann, reads thus:

Resolved, As the sense of this convention, representing the democracy of this state, that we unqualifiedly disapprove of the repeal by the present congress, of the 8th section of the act commonly known as the Missouri compromise, whereby slavery is permitted to be extended over unorganized territories indefinitely, as a violation of legislative good faith, the national honor, the spirit of the age, and the Christian civilization and liberty of which we boast.

Now came the tug of war. The Pierce men, headed by John Cochrane, Capt. Rynders and other federal office holders, sustained the majority report, while the minority resolution was warmly and eloquently defended by Preston King, Abijah Mann, W. Secor, and others. The previous question having been moved and carried by 218 votes against 183, the majority report was adopted and "Pierce and Nebraska" endorsed by yeas 245, nays 149. Hereupon, Preston King, Mr. Rose, of St. Lawrence, Mr. Secor, of Orange, and other Barnburners retired in disgust from the convention.

Nominations being now in order, Horatio Seymour, the present governor, was nominated for re-election, with W. H. Ludlow, of Suffolk, as lieutenant, Jason Clarke, of Jefferson, for canal commissioner, and Wm. R. Andrews, of Livingston, for states prison inspector. Gov. Seymour had previously and positively declined being a candidate, but on motion of the illustrious Rynders, the convention determined to retain his name on the "soft" ticket, "with or without his consent." Perhaps Gov. Seymour, like Judge Denio, will yield a reluctant consent to the overture of his friends and stand a candidate. The whigs nominate their men next; and will doubtless make a strong ticket. The temperance and "know-nothing" elements will enter largely into the canvass this fall, and render a calculation of the chances somewhat difficult. But there is at least no reason to doubt that the voice and verdict of New York will be emphatic, if not unanimous against the authors and abettors of the Nebraska whindle and the men and measures of the sham democracy.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

A VERY SINGULAR AND HORRIBLE STATE OF FACTS.—A citizen of Franklin, Ohio, writes to us that he noticed in our paper of the 23d inst., a paragraph headed "cholera and suicide," which is incorrect; and he gives the particulars of the conduct of one Ward, who lives three miles from Franklin. Our correspondent says: "A relative of his, named David Ward, who made his home with Thomas Ward, was taken with the cholera and died, having two negroes to take care of him during his illness—there being none of the neighbors who would go to the house. After his death, two men from Franklin went to Ward's, dressed the corpse and put it in a coffin. One of the negroes who had waited on David Ward lived on Thomas Ward's farm, and had a wife and three children. He was taken ill with the cholera, but was in a fair way of recovering when his wife and one child died. At this he got out of bed and ran off. He was found dead a few days after, lying in Clear creek, with one of his arms broken. An undertaker had the bodies of his wife and child decently buried. The other negro man who had waited on David Ward, and the two remaining children, were at that time at Thomas Ward's."

The man was taken with the cholera, when Tom Ward sent him into the woods to die. One of the negro children being also taken with the cholera, Ward let it out into the woods and laid it beside the sick man, where it died in a few hours. Ward dug a hole at some distance, threw a long rope to the sick negro and ordered him to tie round the corpse of the child, which being done, he dragged the body to the hole, pulling at the end of the rope, and then made the sick negro drag himself to the edge of the hole and push in dirt until he covered the child. Some of the citizens of Franklin went and brot the man and the remaining child to town, where they have been attended to, and are now getting well."

We quite agree with our correspondent, that such unparalleled proceedings as he narrates are a disgrace to the country, and that the names of the cowardly Tom Ward, and his namesake Matt, should be forever associated. If Tom Ward had been a southerner, and created a slave as he did his poor negro tenant, and the facts had been reached the public, his infamous cowardice would have been sounded throughout the earth.—Cin. Com.

## DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSIONAL NOMINATIONS IN INDIANA.—

1st district—Smith Miller,\*  
2d " William H. English,\*  
3d " C. L. Dunham,\*  
4th " William S. Horman,\*  
5th " Joseph H. Buckles,\*  
6th " Thomas A. Hendricks,\*  
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QUEER BLUE NOSES.—There lives at Grand Lake, New Brunswick, a man ninety-six years of age, who reads the newspapers printed on the finest type, and is waited upon by a great great-granddaughter eighteen years of age, who is but three feet and three-fourths of an inch tall. He has a grand-daughter who is four feet eight inches high, but who weighs two hundred and eighty-six pounds. She cannot stand upon her feet more than thirty minutes at a time.

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CHICAGO.—No report.

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Second Ward, City of Janesville.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having ordered that Milwaukee



































ROCK COUNTY REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

The electors of Rock county who are determined to support no man for office who is not positively and fully committed to the support of the principles announced in the "Republican Platform" adopted at Madison on the 12th of July last, and whose personal character, political associations and private conduct, do not afford a guarantee that he is reliable, are invited to meet in their respective townships or wards at the place of holding the last township or ward election, on Tuesday, the 10th day of October next, at 2 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing a thorough organization of the Republican party in their townships or wards, and of appointing delegates to a county convention hereby called at the Court House in Janesville, on THURSDAY, the 13th day of October next, at 2 o'clock P. M., to nominate a county ticket.

The towns and wards will be entitled to representation in the county convention as follows:—to wit:

Town or Ward	Representatives
Adams	1
Bellevue	1
Bradford	1
Center	1
Clinton	1
Madison	1
Marion	1
Monroe	1
North	1
Portage	1
Rock	1
Union	1
Waukegan	1
Wauwatosa	1
West	1
Wisconsin	1
Wood	1
Yankee	1
York	1

17th SENATORIAL DISTRICT CONVENTION.

At the same time and place above designated in the respective towns and wards for meetings, to choose delegates to the county convention, the Republican electors of the wards of the city of Janesville, and of the towns in this county comprised in the 17th senatorial district, are requested to select an equal number of delegates to which they are entitled under the above appointment in the county convention, to represent them in a senatorial convention hereby called at the Court House in Janesville, on THURSDAY, the 12th day of October next at 11 o'clock, A. M., to nominate a candidate for senator.

By order of the County Committee.

Congressional Convention—Second District.

The electors of the second congressional district of Wisconsin, comprising the counties of Rock, Green, Dane, Iowa, Lafayette, Grant, Richland, Sauk, Adams, Portage, Marathon, Crawford, Dade, La Crosse, Monroe, Polk, Pierce, Trempealeau, Elk, Chippewa, Clark, Dunn, Buffalo, St. Croix, Douglas and La Pointe, who are opposed to the Nebraska iniquity, and in favor of the principles announced in the "Republican Platform," adopted at Madison July 18th, are invited to meet in their respective assembly districts and select two delegates from each to represent them in a congressional convention to be held at Mineral Point, on Wednesday, the 13th of September, at 12 o'clock P. M., to nominate a candidate to be supported at the approaching election. By order of the state central committee, WM. A. WHITE, Chairman.

For telegraphic news see third page.

NEW PAPER AT WATERTOWN.—D. M. Ballou, late associate editor of the Green Bay Advocate is about starting a new paper at Watertown. A third paper at that point may pay, but we doubt it.—Free Democrat.

We, too. There are two good papers already published at that place, sufficient to represent every interest, political, social, local; and there is not the least possible excuse for dividing up the support, small enough we dare affirm, upon a third. Let the citizens of Watertown and of Jefferson county, give to the papers already established there all the patronage they have to bestow, and discourage any further competition, and they will find the advantage of so doing in the constant improvements this course will enable the present publishers to make in their papers.

VERMONT ELECTION.—The anti-Nebraska majority for state officers, the Vermont State Banner thinks, cannot fall below ten thousand. In fifty-nine towns heard from, forty-one whig representatives are chosen, eleven free soil, six democrats, and one, no choice. The legislature will be anti-Nebraska by at least three to one, securing two United States senators. It is another in the succession of severe rebukes the administration has suffered and is bound to suffer for fathering the Nebraska iniquity, as well as for other sins of omission and commission.

POTATOES.—We hear that speculators are in from abroad buying potatoes for the purpose of shipping. Prices are ruling high at the east, and a deficiency in the supply is feared. Our farmers had better be cautious about selling, until they ascertain the market price and who is buying.

HONORARY AGENTS.—This is the title of a new paper, the first number of which is before us, published at Horicon, by Wm. E. Croft; W. H. Butterfield, editor. It is well printed, and does "not hesitate to support the national and state administrations so far as they are true to democratic principles." We suppose it is to be its own judge as to this, and will not be very likely to discover a departure from these principles, even though it should be apparent enough to others.

IF the editor of the Woodstock Republican Free Press has been a "whig of the strictest sect," he has taken a queer way of manifesting his former political affinities since he assumed the control of that press; and our neighbor across the river purchases his lively gratification by having simply blundered upon a fact, not only without evidence, but in spite of every appearance of evidence.

MASSACHUSETTS REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.—The republicans in Massachusetts met in convention at Worcester on the 7th. Henry Wilson was nominated for governor, by a vote of 416 out of 480, and Increase Sumner for lieutenant governor, by nearly a unanimous vote. The resolutions passed are nearly the same as our Madison platform.

The glass of the crystal palace at Sydenham, when illuminated by the sun, may be distinctly seen by a person with ordinary eye-sight from the fields adjoining the national school house at Billerica, a distance of at least 26 miles.

Democratic Congressional Convention.

The democratic convention for the nomination of a candidate for congress for this district, met at the court house in this place on the 6th instant. The convention was well attended, there being over forty delegates present; and a right good looking crowd they were.

The convention was permanently organized by the election of Major John H. Rountree, of Grant, as president, Ephraim F. Ogden, of La Fayette, and Abram Brawley, of Portage, for vice presidents, and C. H. McLaughlin, of Sauk, and John B. Sweet, of Dane, as secretaries.

A resolution was offered for the appointment of a committee to draft resolutions expressive of the sense of the convention—the vote on which resulted as follows:

For the committee S. Against the committee 22.

The convention then proceeded to an informal ballot for a candidate for congress, with the following result:

David Noggle, 2; John Mitchell, 12; Ben C. Eastman, 14; Henry M. Billings, 4; Otis Hoyt, 5; Joseph Hardy, 1; J. B. Sweet, 1; Chas. Dunn, 1; D. S. Vittum, 1; Blank, 2.

The convention then proceeded to ballot formally for a candidate for congress. We give the ballots as follows:

	1st.	2nd.	3d.	4th.
Noggle,	7	7	6	—
Mitchell,	11	11	11	11
Eastman,	14	12	13	13
Billings,	1	—	—	—
Hoyt,	5	7	5	8
Hardy,	3	4	7	2
Vittum,	3	1	—	—
Dewey,	—	—	—	—
C. Woodman,	—	—	—	—
D. W. Kyle,	—	—	—	—
T. Rodolf,	—	—	—	—
B. L. Sharpstein,	—	—	—	—
M. H. Carpenter,	—	—	—	—
Blank,	—	—	—	—

A motion was made to adjourn after the third formal ballot, which was lost 13 to 18. After the fourth ballot the convention adjourned until 7 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.—The convention was called to order at 7 o'clock. An attempt was again made for a committee on resolutions, which was promptly voted down, but renewed several times during the evening, until it was finally clinched by a motion to reconsider, which of course was lost. After several ballots, in which Mr. Hardy, who was said to be a whig, received a number of votes, the question was raised who Mr. Hardy is, and how he stands on the Nebraska question, which was answered by a delegate from La Fayette, that he (Mr. Hardy) was a citizen of Shullsburg, a democrat to the core, and a true blue Nebraska man. At this time a discussion arose which threatened at one time to disturb the harmony of the convention. It was claimed by a portion of the convention that they had no business to ask how a man stood on the Nebraska question, [cries, yes we have, yes we have,] but it was enough to know that he was a democrat. One gentleman thought it best to nominate Eastman for two years more, and then elect the other aspirants for the same length of time, and he had found by a mathematical calculation that all might be served in the course of one hundred and sixty years! This brought up Ben's right bower, who said Mr. Eastman had faithfully represented this district as a democrat. [Cries, no he hasn't, no he hasn't.] He then inquired if there was a gentleman present who would say that Eastman had not done his duty in congress. [Cries, yes, yes, yes.] The excitement was here checked by a call for another ballot for a candidate.

BALLOTING IN THE EVENING.

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.	5th.	6th.	7th.	8th.	9th.	10th.	11th.	12th.	13th.	14th.	15th.	16th.	17th.	18th.	19th.	20th.	21st.	22nd.	23rd.	24th.	25th.	26th.	27th.	28th.	29th.	30th.
Eastman,	5	15	15	13	13	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
Mitchell,	11	12	13	10	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Hoyt,	3	3	7	8	7	6	3	8	7	5	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hardy,	2	4	5	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Noggle,	8	6	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Strogn,	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vittum,	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sharpstein,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Carpenter,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Billings,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Five more ballots were had, with similar results, when the convention adjourned till nine o'clock to-morrow morning.

THURSDAY MORNING, 9 o'clock.

The convention assembled pursuant to adjournment. The 22d ballot stood, Eastman 13, Mitchell 13, Hoyt 17. The 23d, Eastman 13, Mitchell 12, Hoyt 18. Mr. Rose, of Lafayette, here introduced a series of strong Nebraska resolutions, (which we were unable to obtain), which he sustained in a speech, calling on the democracy to show their colors, and not try to dodge this question.

The resolutions were laid on the table by a vote of 23 to 21. Mr. Mitchell's name was here withdrawn, after which a 24th ballot was taken, with the following result: Eastman 12, Hoyt 19, Strong 5, Carpenter 1, Blank 4.

The resolutions were then taken from the table, discussed, and finally adopted by a vote of 25 to 19; Messrs. Billings, Boyden and Zollinger of this county, voting for, and Mr. Lean against them. The Green county delegation here withdrew from the convention.

Mr. Eastman appeared and stated that he considered the resolutions just adopted, as censuring his course in congress, and withdrew his name as a candidate from the convention. His course was well received by his friends, and we have no doubt their number will be increased by this act.

Mr. Woodie of Rock, introduced a resolution repudiating the administration of Frank Pierce, in the strongest terms, which he prefaced with some cutting remarks on the course of the president in abandoning the Baltimore platform and the principles of his inaugural address, and wound up by saying that the conduct of Frank Pierce had been such as would disgrace a chairman of a board of supervisors; much more a president of the United States. This resolution was voted down, 27 to 13. A resolution to adjourn without day was here offered and lost, 16 to 26 against. The 25th ballot was now taken and resulted for Hoyt 20, McKee 8, Billings 4, Noggle, Carpenter and Jordan, each 1. The 26th ballot was then ordered and resulted as follows: Hoyt 25, Billings 8, scattering 7; and Mr. Hoyt was declared the candidate of the convention.

Mr. Hoyt is register of the land office at Hudson, in the north-west part of the state.

On the whole, the proceedings were decidedly rich. Nebraska has triumphed here, to be badly whipped at the ballot-box in November.—Mineral Point Tribune, Extra, Sept. 7.

The whig committee of Michigan have called a state convention at Marshall on the 4th of October. The present is a crisis in the politics of Michigan. Thus far the indications are full of promise. Thus far, the friends of freedom, generally, have exhibited a degree of wisdom and forbearance promising the most gratifying results. If the delegates to this convention, as we cannot doubt, shall be equally wise, and look rather to the triumph of a great principle than to the gratification of party pride, the difficulties will be overwhelmed in November.—Albany Journal.

A PIC-NIC PARTY SURROUNDED BY FIRE IN THE Woods.—Last week, on Friday, a gay and thoughtless party of males and females, some thirty in number, provided themselves with pails and baskets of all capacities, cigars, gin-gin and luncheon, and jumping into a railroad car, rode to a station on the Albany and Boston railroad, that is in the immediate vicinity of one of the tallest of the Berkshire range of mountains. The hill was said to be covered with countless bushes of blackberries, all "dead ripe," and all of the high bush variety, which are the largest and the sweetest.

They left the station in high spirits, and in a few minutes were buried in a wilderness of that fine and beautiful fruit that they went out to seek.

An hour of persevering picking resulted in filling every vessel they had carried with them, and as they gathered at the spot appointed for luncheon—a secluded nook in a place covered with verdure, watered by a little brook of pure cold water and surrounded on all sides but one by beetling cliffs—they found themselves fatigued, woefully lacerated by "prickles" and thorns, their dresses torn badly and hands and faces deeply dyed with blackberry juice, but with keen appetites, and pails and baskets all heaped up and running over with fine ripe fruit.

Down they sat and devoured their ample lunch, lighted their cigars, drank their pop, and indulged two or three hours in songs, tales, dances and other pastimes.

It was not known to them when they first started for the mountain that a portion of it was on fire, but of the conflagration they thought nothing, being entirely absorbed in their picking and amusements. But the smoke grew dense, the air became hot and stifling, the winds were up, and the fall of an immense burning cinder into their very midst roused the thoughtless party to a realizing idea of what was in progress above and around them. Looking up, judge of their consternation when they saw themselves almost begirt by a tremendous conflagration, which had spread with nearly the speed of the wind that fanned the flames and urged forward the destruction. Their only way of escape was through the narrow gorge down which the little brook plunged, and the flames were rapidly approaching both sides of even that chance for exit!

Not a moment was to be lost! All rushed instinctively for the narrow opening before them, leaving behind them the berries they had picked. But they found the little brook could run where they could not, and that the precipices, underbrush, no path, and the stifling smoke which blew hot in their faces and blinded their eyes, rendered their progress slow. And it was slow. The ladies had to be helped at every step almost. Overhead and nearly all around was a world of fire. Before them was just a narrow way of escape yet, and that night at any moment be crossed and they surrounded by a belt of fire!

Eagerly they pressed forward, the stoutest leading the way, and all encouraging each other as well as they could.

The air grew thicker and darker. The heat was dreadful. Sparks and cinders fell like rain around them. Their clothing was repeatedly on fire. The roar and crackle of the flames was almost deafening, and occasionally the fall of a burning tree crashed upon their ears and added to their terrors.

At last, when some were growing too weak to go further, two had fainted and had to be carried, and their condition was momentarily becoming more and more desperate and hopeless, suddenly the wind changed round and blew a fierce blast up the narrow ravine the party were traveling! All were instantly invigorated, relieved of the smoke in front, and heartily encouraged. With a shout they pressed forward again, and in about fifteen minutes succeeded in gaining a point beyond immediate danger, and in an hour were on their way home in the railway car.

Their escape was a narrow one indeed. Not half an hour had elapsed after their escape ere the trees and brush of the ravine were in a blaze, and their trying place was lost in a deluge of fire.

One of the rescued party told us the story of his adventure with the rest, and fairly shuddered when he came to what he termed the "tightest spot," where there was "a smart chance for a barbecue of Beckett."—Albany Express.

We are glad to find that the telegraph was in error in stating that Senator Douglas was not permitted to speak at Chicago. We cannot appropriately see the right of free speech denied to any man, and least of all denied by the friends of free labor.

It turns out, however, that Douglas did speak. What success he had in convincing his fellow-citizens may be read elsewhere. Having first surrounded himself with a rowdy crew of personal backers, yelet the "Douglas body guard," he invited the citizens of Chicago to come and hear his vindication of his course, and pronounce their opinion of it. They did so. They came eight thousand strong. If they had not, he and the "body guard" would have published all over the union that a public meeting had been held in Chicago, in which his official acts were sustained and endorsed triumphantly and unanimously.

He spoke for half an hour or more. When he asked their attention, they bade him "go on," and listened quietly. When he questioned them, they answered him, and he got rather the worst of it. He appealed to know if there was any man in that crowd who was in favor of the Missouri compromise? "Yes" they shouted, "Douglas was once!" He said sixty-one members of the legislature voted to instruct him to go for the bill and only four voted against it. Whereupon, they gave nine cheers for the four. When he asserted that he represented their views, they responded with groans and hisses. At last losing his temper, he informed them he should stay there and talk as long as he pleased. They made no objection, but struck up the appropriate chorus,

"We won't go home till morning,  
Till day-light does appear."

And then with a sudden change of purpose he left, and they adjourned. There was no violence, nor any threat of it. We would have preferred, for our own part, to have seen Mr. Douglas left to address his remarks to a "beggarly array of empty benches." That would have expressed the popular contempt, without giving a pretext for the charge that he was not allowed a fair hearing. But the people of the city feared their real sentiments might be misrepresented to the country at large, and that they were determined not to permit.—Albany Journal.

WISCONSIN POLITICS.—Our political friends in Wisconsin appear to be managing their affairs at this time most admirably. They are in no flutter of excitement, but are diligently gathering their strength, and when they move on to the accomplishment of their great purpose, the republican phalanx will be as one mass and one man, and the prestige of victory will not fail. The freemen of Wisconsin have a most noble impulse to urge them on, and we are glad to note in all quarters the indications of their sincerity, in their prompt action in obedience to its dictates.—Galena Advertiser.

THE "SOFTS" AT SYRACUSE.—The "softs," or administration wing of the sham democracy of New York, held their state convention at Syracuse on Wednesday and Thursday last. They had an interesting time of it; but there, as at Mineral Point, the federal office-holders proved too much for the masses of the party. The first day was occupied in the usual preliminaries of organization, the appointment of committees, etc.; the convention refusing, 246 to 75, to make any nominations, until they had constructed a platform to put them on. On the morning of the second day, the committee on resolutions submitted two reports, majority and minority; Nebraska being the rock on which they split. The majority resolution speaks of the repeal of the Missouri compromise as "inexpedient and unnecessary," but deprecates any "agitation" with a view to restore that line, and indirectly approves of the Nebraska bill. The minority resolution, reported by Mr. Abijah Mann, reads thus:

Resolved, As the sense of this convention, representing the democracy of this state, that we unqualifiedly disapprove of the repeal by the present congress, of the 8th section of the act commonly known as the Missouri compromise, whereby slavery is permitted to be extended over unorganized territories indefinitely, as a violation of legislative good faith, the national honor, the spirit of the age, and the Christian civilization and liberty of which we boast.

Now came the tug of war. The Pierce men, headed by John Cochrane, Capt. Rynders and other federal-office holders, sustained the majority report, while the minority resolution was warmly and eloquently defended by Preston King, Abijah Mann, W. Secor, and others. The previous question having been moved and carried by 218 votes against 189, the majority report was adopted and "Pierce and Nebraska" endorsed by yeas 245, nays 149. Hereupon, Preston King, Mr. Rose, of St. Lawrence, Mr. Secor, of Orange, and other Barnburners retired in disgust from the convention.

Nominations being now in order, Horatio Seymour, the present governor, was nominated for re-election, with W. H. Lullow, of Suffolk, as lieutenant-governor, Jason Clarke, of Jefferson, for canal commissioner, and Wm. R. Andrews, of Livingston, for states prison inspector. Gov. Seymour had previously and positively declined being a candidate, but, on motion of the illustrious Rynders, the convention determined to retain his name on the "soft" ticket, "with or without his consent." Perhaps gov. Seymour, like Judge Bronson, will yield a reluctant consent to the entreaties of his friends and stand a canvass. The whigs nominate their men next week and will doubtless make a strong ticket. The temperance and "know-nothing" elements will enter largely into the canvass this fall, and render a calculation of the chances somewhat difficult. But there is at least no reason to doubt that the voice and verdict of New York will be emphatic, if not unanimous against the authors and abettors of the Nebraska swindle and the men and measures of the sham democracy.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

A VERY SINGULAR AND HORRIBLE STATE OF FACTS.—A citizen of Franklin, Ohio, writes to us that he noticed in our paper of the 23d inst., a paragraph headed "cholera and suicide," which is incorrect; and he gives the particulars of the conduct of one Ward, who lives three miles from Franklin. Our correspondent says:

A relative of his, named David Ward, who made his home with Thomas Ward, was taken with the cholera and died, having two negroes to take care of him during his illness—there being none of the neighbors who would go to the house. After his death, two men from Franklin went to Ward's, dressed the corpse and put it in a coffin. One of the negroes who had waited on David Ward lived on Thomas Ward's farm, and had a wife and three children. He was taken ill with the cholera, but was in a fair way of recovering when his wife and one child died. At this he got out of bed and ran off. He was found dead a few days after, lying in Clear creek, with one of his arms broken. An undertaker had the bodies of his wife and child decently buried. The other negro man had waited on David Ward, and the two remaining children, were at that time at Thomas Ward's.

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We quite agree with our correspondent, that such unparalleled proceedings as he narrates are a disgrace to the country, and that the names of the cowardly Tom Ward, and his namesake Matt, should be forever associated. If Tom Ward had been a southerner, and treated a slave as he did his poor negro tenant, and the facts had reached the public, his infamous cowardice would have been sounded throughout the earth.—Cin. Com.

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THE LITTLE GIANT'S FIRST OPINION.—"A compact which had an origin akin to that of our glorious constitution, and which had been for thirty years enshrined in the hearts of the people as a sacred thing, which no ruthless hand would be reckless enough to disturb."

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ANOTHER CAVING IN.—The Locofocos are badly off in Col. Hissel's district, not being able to get up a convention to nominate a candidate for congress. The Alton Courier says: This body assembled on Tuesday last, and adjourned the same day without making a nomination, or passing any resolutions. Seven counties out of the nine, composing the district were represented, but the instructions of the Jefferson county delegation precluded their going into a nomination unless all the counties were represented, and they consequently withdrew. The St. Clair and Bond delegations then withdrew, leaving a minority of counties, and the delegates of those counties thought it inexpedient to take any action.

QUEEN BLUE NOSES.—There lives at Grand Lake, Wm. Dunawick, a man ninety-six years of age, who reads the newspapers printed on the finest type, and is waited upon by a great great-granddaughter eighteen years of age, who is but three feet and three-fourths of an inch tall. He has a grand-daughter who is four feet eight inches high, but who weighs two hundred and eighty-six pounds. She cannot stand upon her feet more than thirty minutes at a time.

THE MARKETS.

JANESVILLE, TUESDAY EVENING, Sept. 12.  
Flour, 8.00a10.00; Wheat, winter, 1.20a1.30; club, 1.15a1.20; common spring, 1.10; Corn, 48; Rye, 75; Barley, 65a70; Oats, 25a27; Grass seed, 1.75a2.00.  
MILWAUKEE, TUESDAY MORNING, Sept. 12.  
Flour, 7.00a7.25; Wheat, winter, 1.20a1.40; club, 1.22a1.28; common spring, 1.15a1.20; Rye, 85a85; Barley, 70a75; Oats, 25a30; Corn, 55a57; Potatoes, 45a52; Sentinel.  
CHICAGO.—No report.

TRUDELL, JORDAN & BENNETT,

Attorneys at Law

Having completed an accurate abstract of the TITLE, TAX and JUDGMENT RECORDS of Rock County, are prepared to furnish full and reliable information respecting the ownership of Real Estate in said county, and all liens on such estate by Judgment, Mortgage or otherwise.

They will attend to the purchase and sale of Real Estate, the negotiation of Loans, payment of Taxes, and the redemption of land from Tax Sales, and generally to all such business as properly belongs to a

REAL ESTATE OFFICE.

Business in the courts of this and the adjoining counties will be promptly attended to.  
Office—Second Story of Empire Block.  
Janesville, Wis., May 25th, 1851.

NOTICE.

Street Commissioners' Office,  
Second Ward, City of Janesville.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having ordered that Milwaukee street, in said second ward, be graded from the abutment at the east end of the new bridge now building, at the foot of said street, to the intersection of East Street. Notice is hereby given to the owner or owners, and occupants of lots, and parts of lots of land fronting on said part of Milwaukee street, that they are required to do the said work by the 22d day of September instant, according to the directions and plans of the city engineer; and if the said work is not done within the time herein before mentioned, the undersigned will enter into a contract for the doing thereof.—City of Janesville, Sept. 11th, 1854.  
J. J. R. PEASE, E. L. DIMOCK,  
sc13d Street Commissioners of said Ward.

EXTENSIVE SALE OF STOCK

AT AUCTION.

WILL be sold at public auction, on Monday the 25th inst., at



JOSEPH A. WOOD & CO

**Sign of the Padlock.**  
**TO SUBSCRIBERS,** thankful for the liberal patronage extended to them during the past year, and respectfully inform the people of Wisconsin that they have received the **LARGEST AND BEST SELECTED STOCK of**  
**Hardware, Iron, Steel,**  
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 Among our stock of **IRON and STEEL** may be found everything following, to which we invite the attention of *Black-*

Best American Refined Iron all sizes.  
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Sills, and American Horse Shoe Iron, all sizes.  
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Sanderson's Cast Steel, all sizes and shapes.  
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English Spring Steel.  
Plow Steel, 4 to 16 inches wide.  
Iron, Anvils, Vices, Bellows, Tumbler Stakes, Files

Also request a critical examination of our large  
varied assortment of

**Tools,**  
 purchased direct from the Manufacturer, consisting in  
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Cast Steel Chisels of all kinds,  
Augers and Auger Bits, Braces and Bits,  
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of superior finish and from the best makers.  
We also have an endless variety of  
**Farming Implements,**  
Shovels, Spades, Scoops, Scythes and Blades,  
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Hoes, Corn Shellers, &c., &c.,  
at lower rates than can be obtained in any other estab-  
lishment in this city.

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FASHION, NEW EAGLE,  
 NEW WORLD, BROTHER JONATHAN, ATLAS,  
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 STAR OF THE WEST, Elevated Ore,  
 MORNING STAR, do do,  
 CULTIVATOR, do do,  
 FINE FLY, do do,  
 n, four sizes of FREEMAN Shirts. Taylor Cooks,  
 and Parlor Stoves, being the best assortment ever  
 red here, and made of the best materials. Having  
 ed cash for all our stores at time of purchase, and  
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**LOWER PRICES.**  
 than those who try to compete with us.  
 Ve manufacture

**in, Sheet Iron & Copper Ware,**  
and always have a large assortment on hand.  
Persons at a distance favoring us with their orders,

Having had thirteen years experience in this branch trade, and being connected with a large importing house in New York, we can offer greater inducements in any other establishment here.

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**\$15,000 Worth of**  
**BOOTS AND SHOES**

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best and finest stocks of Boots and Shoes that I have  
before brought to Louisville, and what is finer  
than all the rest, and at the same time at prices that  
were ever sold before, notwithstanding the great ad-  
vance in the Eastern Market. My assortment of

**Ladies Fine Shoes,**

In particular, I have no hesitation in saying cannot be  
equalled in the State, both for style and durability, be-  
cause all made to order, and in such a manner that I can  
guarantee every article I sell, with the understanding at  
times, that if they do not come up to the warrant,

**GENTLEMEN'S WEAR.**  
In this line I know beyond a doubt that I can show  
a finer assortment and at better prices by twenty-

... Dry Goods stores about town. I want it all-  
 ADE my WHOLE STUDY, and that I *Euy More, Sell*  
*more and knut more about the trade,* than the whole  
 of penny dealers put together. And I know also  
 that I can make it an object for Every Farmer

the more I sell the smaller profits I can sell at.

I want to say a few words to you in regard to my manufacturing Department, to wit: That I am now engaged more extensively in the manufacturing business, and probably am selling more custom work than all the

—that I use better Stock, being entirely of Eastern  
 origin, which every one knows is worth twenty-five  
 per cent more than the common western tanned leath-  
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 tance, I can

By my custom work at much lower prices, and at the same time sell you a better article than you can get at the shops, for this reason, which you must see is a very palpable one, that in buying my stock you stand in such large quantities, I of course save a very large per cent, and thereby can sell at lower prices.

want to state further that I have secured the services of Mr. Beckingham, who has formerly been engaged in the manufacturing business on the west side of the river, and who is known by every one to be the best manufacturer in the city; and if we don't get you a better article, both in regard to style and durability, we will give you \$100,000.

**Leather and Findings.**  
I have just received over \$8,000 worth of the very  
best brands of Eastern Sole & Upper Leather.

PHILADELPHIA RIB and FRENCH CALF SKINS, together with a full assortment of MOROCCOS of every kind, which I will sell at precisely Milwaukee and Chicago Prices. I have constantly on hand, also, a large assortment of

I request the attention of manufacturers in town and all in the country to my stock, as I think I can make it an object for you to buy of me. At least, I can sell you a much superior article to that which you get from the peddlers.

TO THE LADIES,  
I would say that I am under very great obligation for the partiality you have shown me, in always procuring my understandings from me, and I now publicly promise and swear that I will make every one of you who

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ing career. I would say further, that I am prepared  
get up to order any style of work you wish, at low  
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J. B. DIMOCK, Proprietor.  
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OPPOSITE THE AMERICAN HOTEL,  
10 SUGARS in bbls. and bbls.

Et. Louis Clarified and refined in bbls.  
Golden Syrup, in bbls. and kegs, superior.  
Molasses, do. do.  
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Fried Apples, Peaches, Plums.  
Also, a general assortment of GROCERIES, PRO-  
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derstood.  
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**IN CIRCUIT COURT, ROCK COUNTY, — Is Egery.**  
*Daniel M. Wilson et al., compl'ts, vs. John C. Tucker et al., def'ts.*

**IN pursuance of a decretal order of the circuit court for Rock county in equity, made in the above entitled cause on the ninth day of June, A. D. 1854, will be sold, by and under the direction of the sheriff of Rock county, at public auction, at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the 7th day of September, 1854, all that certain lot or lots of land, situate, lying and being in the village (now city) of Janesville, in the county of Rock, and state of Wisconsin, and known and distinguished as lot number sixty-seven, and known and distinguished as lot number sixty-eight, both in the South and West halves of section one, containing the recorded plot of the same. Dated July 24, 1854.**  
J. J. 254 WILLIAM H. HOWARD, Sheriff.

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described land and premises, viz: the south east quarter of the north west quarter of section two, (2) in township number nine (9) north and range number one (1) west of the sixth range, situated in the town of Wisconsin, in Rock county, state of Wisconsin. Dated July 24, 1854. (js25d) WILLIAM H. HOWARD, Sheriff.

IN CHIEF COURT ROCK COUNTY—Is EXCERPT.

*Alston William, complain't, vs. Jonathan W. Snow, Hanniah Snow, his wife, John Kimball, Charles O. Thompson and Erastus Thompson, de'ts.*

THE subpoena issued in the above entitled cause having been returned by the sheriff of the county of Rock not served on the above named defendants Jonathan W. Snow, Hanniah Snow his wife, Charles O. Thompson and Erastus Thompson, and the said John Kimball, who were not found, the said defendants in the county of Rock, and it having been made satisfactorily to appear that said defendants are not residents of the state of Wisconsin, and no appearance having been made on behalf of either of said defendants, therefore on motion of Joseph A. Sleeper solicitor for complainant ordered that said defendants appear and plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint filed in this cause, on or before the 17th day of August next, and that the said bill of complaint be filed in this cause, on or before the 17th day of complaint be taken as confessed against them. And it is further ordered that within twenty days from the date of this order the complainant cause a copy of this order to be personally served on the said defendants, and that the said bill of complaint be published in the Janesville Gazette, a public newspaper printed and published in the city of Janesville, at least once in each week for six weeks successively. Dated August 10th 1854.

JOSEPH A. PRICHARD,  
County Judge and ex-officio,

and 1567 Court Commissioner.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.**—Notice is hereby given, that by virtue and in pursuance of an order of license made on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1854, by the county court of Rock county, the undersigned administrator of the estate of Charles Yates, deceased, with the like annexed, will, on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1854, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the house now occupied by Charles Yates, in the city of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin, sell to the highest bidder the following described lands, to wit:—Lot No. one (1) and lot No. two, (2.) in Block No. five, (5.) in Palmer and Sutherland's addition to Janesville, in the city of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin, together with the interest at the time and place aforesaid. Dated June 24th, 1854.

31w5 O. W. NOTKTON, Administrator.

**N. B.** The above sale is postponed to the 25th day of August next, at the same place and time of day. Terms of the sale, one third cash and the residue secured by bond and mortgage on the premises, with five percent interest annually during the lifetime of Mrs. Mary Yates, widow.—Dated: July 24th, 1854.

31w5 O. W. NOTKTON, Administrator.

The above sale, as further postponed to the 25th day of September next at the same place and time of day. Dated August 25th, 1854.

31w5 O. W. NOTKTON, Administrator.

IN CIRCUIT COURT, FOR ROCK COUNTY—IN EQUITY.

Ira Smith, Jr., William A. Smith, William Steele, Jas. and Robert P. Steele, Geo. Asa W. White, Embury White, James B. Wilson, John D. Wilson, Sanford Cobb, Jr., Calvin W. How, Benjamin W. How, William B. Whitaker, Devillo White, Lyman D. Burch and Ethel M. Pratt.

THE subpoena issued in the above entitled cause, directed to the sheriff of said county of Rock, having been returned by the said sheriff not

served on the defendants, James B. Wilson, John D. Wilson, Sanford Cobb, Jr., Calvin W. How, Benjamin W. How, William H. Wilson, John White, Lyman D. Burch and Eliza J. Pratt, and it is shown and satisfactorily to appear that each and every of said last mentioned defendants, are absent from and are not to be found at the residence of Wilson, and cannot be found, and he is therefore unable to produce them upon their oath, he being the only one of them who is known to the undersigned. The undersigned, therefore, the undersigned, solicitor for complainants, ordered that the said defendants James B. Wilson, John D. Wilson, Sanford Cobb, Jr., Calvin W. How, Benjamin W. How, William H. Wilson, John White, Lyman D. Burch and Eliza J. Pratt, appear and plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint filed in this cause, on or before the 6th day of December, 1854, or that in default of such appearance, answer, demur or plea, judgment be rendered against each and every of said last mentioned defendants, and it is further ordered, that within twenty days from the date hereof, the above ordered be put in force on each of said last mentioned defendants, by delivery of a copy of this order to each of them, or that the same be published in the *Janesville Gazette*, a newspaper printed in the city of Janesville, in the county and state aforesaid, for six weeks successively, at least once in each week. Dated August 31st, 1854.

MOSSES K. PHILLARD, County Judge,  
first and ex-officio County Com'r.

IN CIRCUIT COURT, ROCK COUNTY—Is Equity.

James Bear, compl't, vs. Abel Storm, def't.

THE subpoena issued in the above entitled cause directed to the sheriff of said county of Rock,

having been returned by the said sheriff not served on the above named defendant, and that after diligent search and inquiry he had not been able to find said defendant in said county of Rock, and it having been made satisfactory to the said sheriff that said defendant is not a resident of the state of Wisconsin, the said appearance having been entered by or on behalf of said defendant; therefore, on motion of Charles Norton, sheriff for complainant, ordered that said defendant appear and plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint filed in this cause on or before the first day

of December next, or that in default thereof the said bill be returned against him.

And it is further ordered that within ten days from the date of this order the complainant cause a copy of this order to be personally served on the said defendant by any named, or that he cause a copy of the same to be published in some newspaper of general circulation, newspaper printed and published in the city of Jacksonville, at least once in each week for six weeks successively. Dated August 31<sup>st</sup>, 1854.

JOSEPH S. PUGHARD,  
County Judge and ex-officio  
Circuit Commissioner.


CIRCUIT COURT, FOR ROCK COUNTY—Is Equity.  
Wesley W. Carey, ex. William C. Chase, v.

**THE** subpoena in the above entitled cause having been returned by the sheriff of Rock county and appearing from said return, that said defendant could not be found, and appearing that said defendant has failed to cause his appearance to be entered in the above entitled cause, as according to the rules of said court the same ought to be entered by the said defendant, and the same day served. And it is further appearing to the satisfaction of the undersigned county judge of Rock county, from the return of said sheriff to said subpoena and from the affidavit of John H. Bennett that the said defendant William C. Chase is a non-resident of said county, it is ordered and directed that the said defendant appear, personally or by attorney, to the complainants bill in the above entitled cause on or before the 24 day of December, A. D. 1854. And he is further ordered that he appear that this order be served personally on such defendant, at least ten days before the date hereof by delivering to him a copy, by

of, and that the said order be published in the Janeville  
Daily Gazette, a newspaper printed in the city of Janeville, in Rock county, Wisconsin, for six weeks successively, at least once in each week, before the said second day of December, A. D. 1854.—Dated Aug. 31, 1854.

MORSE S. PRICHARD,  
County Judge and ex-officio,  
Court Commissioner.

TARFELL, JOHNS & BENNETT,  
Solicitors for Complainant.



**METALLIC BURIAL CASES.**—The  
Subscriber is agent for the sale of these cases, and  
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J. F. MORSE.

Janeville, July 10th, 1854.